THE WEATHER
Unsettled weather, occasionally showers tonight and possibly Wednesday; moderate to brisk easterly to southerly winds

THE LOWELL SUN

5 O'CLOCK

ESTABLISHED 1878 LOWELL MASS. TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 28 1909 PRICE ONE CENT

FOUND IN A CAR

Two Men in Court for Breaking and Entering

Fred Rosseau and Henry Richard were arraigned in police court this morning on complaints charging them with breaking and entering a car of the Boston & Maine railroad with intent to commit larceny from the same. They entered pleas of not guilty and the cases were continued until tomorrow morning.

The two men were found in a freight car in the south yard near the Bleachery station this morning. The car contained furniture which had been shipped from Manchester and while none of the contents was removed or disturbed the seal on the door of the car was broken.

The prisoners claimed that they found the door of the car open and as the rain was heavy they decided to get into the car to keep dry and have a sleep.

TAFT AND DIAZ

Arrangements Complete for the Meeting of Two Presidents

EL PASO, Texas, Sept. 28.—The official program for the meeting of Presidents Taft and Diaz at El Paso and Juarez was made known yesterday by the war department in a communication to the local committees. Its tone shows the tendency of the two governments to make the affair strictly international and practically all the arrangements are in the hands of the secretary of war. The program consists of two visits by Mr. Taft to Mexico and one visit by Senor Diaz to the United States. No troops of either country will cross the boundary, nor will flags of either nation be carried across the line. In the morning President Diaz will cross the boundary where he will be received by the secretary of war and escorted to President Taft's carriage. The governor of Texas and his staff will accompany the secretary.

President Diaz will be in uniform and Mr. Taft in a dress suit. The party will be driven to the chamber of commerce in El Paso, where the two presidents will confer in privacy.

The Mexican president will then retire to his side of the river under American military escort.

At noon President Taft will cross the river and the program of the morning will be practically repeated. He then will retire to the American side under military escort. In the evening President Taft will go to Juarez, where he will be banqueted.

The Baby's Common Ailments

Are little disturbances of the stomach, liver and bowels; and, as all observing mothers know, they are generally the causes of the baby's fretfulness, restlessness and sleeplessness.

Ani-sen cures all these ailments, and it does so by gently cleansing, stimulating and toning the system. It is absolutely free from alcohol, paregoric, opium, laudanum, morphine and all narcotics.

Try Ani-sen. Get it today. 25c.

WE SUPPLY

The demand for

FRUIT PICKERS

With or without handles.

BASKETS

Of all sizes.

LADDERS AND STEP LADDERS

Bartlett & Dow

216 Central Street.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Attendance for the First Two Weeks

The attendance at the public schools for the first two weeks of the school year show that the number of pupils attending this year is on a par with that of last.

The total attendance at the ten grammar schools was 4903 pupils, divided as follows: Butler, 658; Green, 445; Greenhalge, 300; Highland, 561; Abraham Lincoln, 448; Moody, 415; Riverside, 108; Training, 356; Varnum, 350; and Washington, 162.

The total attendance at the 35 primary schools was 8615, divided as follows: Agawam street, 99; Ames street, 101; Billings street, 146; Cabot street, 81; Carter street, 174; Charles street, 148; Central street, 144; Cheever street, 94; Cottage street 98; Cress street, 88; Dover street, 114; Eliot, 135; Franklin, 122; Greenhalge primary, 111; Howard street, 140; High street, 80, Lakeview avenue, 167; Lyon street, 175; London street, 134; Lincoln primary, 86; Laura E. Lee school (Plain street), 199; Morrill, 71; Middlesex street, 89; New Moody, 212; Pine street, 96; Pond street, 93; Powell, 79; Sycamore street, 65; Riverside primary, 102; Training school, primary, 184; Tenth street, 183; West Sixth street, 140; Wood street, 112, and Worthen street, 135.

The total attendance at the kindergarten schools was 393, divided among the eleven schools, as follows: Agawam street, 36; Charles street, 35; Chapel street, 39; Dover, 28; Franklin, 46; Abraham Lincoln, 51; Laura E. Lee (Plain street), 21; Moody, 25, Pawtucket, 37; Pine street, 31, and Varnum, 33.

The schools which did not report on Saturday were the Bartlett grammar and primary; Edson, Pawtucket grammar, and Kirk street primary. Their figures for membership at the close of the first week were: Bartlett grammar 467, and primary, 209; Edson, 4[illegible]; Pawtucket grammar, 269; and Kirk St primary, 64. These figures, with the attendance of 1158 at the high school on the 24th, make the total membership in the Lowell schools 11,211.

IMPORTANT WALL PAPER NOTICE

Prompt Paper Hanging, 10c Roll Up

REAL ESTATE MEN, MILL OWNERS, LANDLORDS, PROPERTY OWNERS, AND HOME OWNERS—We can furnish you good reliable paper hangers at 10c, 12½c and 15c per roll, according to grade of the paper. A choice selection of all new wall papers from 2½c to $1.00 per roll to choose from. Our connection with some of the largest wall paper factories in this country enables us to operate our new wall paper dept. on this basis.

NELSON'S COLONIAL DEPARTMENT STORE

FOURTH FLOOR

THE CITY COUNCIL

Took Action on Death of Ex-Mayor Palmer

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS CHOSEN

And Delegation Appointed to Attend the Funeral—Expressions of Sorrow at the Unexpected Death of Mr. Palmer

At a joint special meeting of the city council held last night for the purpose of taking action on the death of former Mayor Charles Dana Palmer the following were appointed a committee on resolutions: Aldermen Stevens and Dexter and Councilmen Spencer, Wilde and Tarrant.

It was voted to send the following delegation to represent the city government at the funeral: Mayor Brown, Aldermen Gray, Adams and Wainwright, and Councilmen Whittet, Butler, Howe and Mahoney.

Mayor Brown presided at the meeting and read an official announcement of the death of Mr. Palmer, eulogizing the deceased as a citizen and a public official.

Every member present at the meeting gave expression to his sorrow at the death of Mr. Palmer, a man who had been so widely esteemed by the citizens of Lowell.

BODY OF A CHILD

Found Floating in Merrimack River

A small wooden box containing the body of a male child, prematurely born, was found floating in the Merrimack river near Elsmere Station No. 2, on the Lawrence road, about 8.30 o'clock this morning by some school children and was later brought to this city by Constable William E. Newton of the Dracut police and turned over to Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons. Constable Newton afterwards notified the police of his find.

Two school children, Hayward by name, who live in Kenwood, were on their way to school when they noticed the box floating in the river and pulling it ashore opened it and after seeing the contents went to school and notified the teacher and the latter in turn notified Constable Newton.

Mr. Newton went to the place where the box had been left by the children and took it to the undertaking parlors of Undertakers O'Donnell and then reported the matter at the police station.

WATER BOARD

To Improve Water Service at General Hospital

There has been some complaint relative to the water service at the Lowell General hospital and last night the water board granted a hearing to the directors of that institution and it was agreed that something should be done at once to relieve the situation.

President Crowley and Supt. Thomas visited the Lowell General hospital a few days ago and made a personal investigation of the trouble there. It was stated that for the past few months the water was running dirty and rusty in the pipes.

President Crowley and Supt. Thomas found an iron pipe line in one section of the institution, which, it was thought, was to some extent responsible for the trouble and they allowed that if a tin-lined pipe was made to take the place of the other that an improvement would be noted.

President Crowley thought that part of the trouble might have resulted from the six-inch main in Varnum avenue, from which the hospital draws its supply and in an endeavor to remedy this the board offered to lay an eight-inch main in anrVum avenue.

It was stated that the fire service at the hospital was a bit inadequate at the present time and President Crowley allowed that the putting in of the eight-inch pipe would serve a double purpose. It would improve the water system in that locality and likewise the fire service at the hospital. The board agreed to lay the pipe and work will be begun at once in order that the job will be over with before the coming of the frost.

Other matters of a routine nature were considered by the board.

WIRE DOWN

HIGHLAND CARS WERE HELD UP THIS MORNING.

A trolley wire out of commission caused a delay in the Highland district cars service this forenoon though no damage was done.

PRESCOTT STREET

IN DEPLORABLE CONDITION AFTER THE RAIN.

Prescott street was a puddle this morning as the result of the continued rains, and all who had business on the street were kept busy dodging the mud and dirty water thrown about by the horses' hoofs. But Prescott street is taking on a great harm. Notice the new glass fronts.

DEATHS

HERRON—William J. Herron, aged 52 years, died early this morning at his late home, 247 Dutton street. Besides his wife, Grace, he leaves one sister, Mrs. John Chadwick of Newark, N. J. Funeral notice later.

IN POLICE COURT

Assault Case With Many Witnesses and an Interpreter

Occupied Court's Attention—The Railway Manslaughter Case Put Over — A Negligent Husband Charged With Neglecting His Child—Other Cases

The case of Joseph Koziel, John Ziola and Wladyslaw Zanotski, charged with assault and battery on Joseph Dynck last Sunday night at 42 Amory street, took up the major portion of this morning's session of the police court. The affair was long and drawn out inasmuch as there were many witnesses and the assistance of an interpreter was required in order to present the case.

Dynck testified that last Sunday night he called at 42 Amory street, where he used to board, for the purpose of seeing some friends. While there he met several acquaintances, including two women. He was sitting on a bench with one of the women when one of the defendants suggested that he go home. Witness allowed that he would stay there as long as he wished and his retort led to an argument which later resulted in the assault. Dynck claimed that the three defendants fell upon him and assaulted him.

The testimony of the defendants was a general denial and after the court had summed up the evidence in the case he found Ziola guilty and fined him the costs of court, $5. The other two defendants were discharged.

Alleged Larceny

Nettie M. Saunders, through her counsel, Daniel J. Donahue, entered a plea of not guilty to a complaint charging her with the larceny of a cape valued at $35 and a shawl valued at $45, the property of Elvira E. Gladwin. Mr. Donahue and John J. Harvey, the latter being counsel for the complainant, agreed that the case should go over till Saturday.

It is alleged that the articles mentioned in the warrant were left in a house which the defendant recently hired and is now occupying.

Manslaughter Case

John Larson and Thomas Higgins, motorman and conductor of the car of the Boston & Northern Street Railway company which ran into two children in Lakeview avenue several weeks ago and resulted in the death of one and serious injury of the other, were in court this morning for hearing on a charge of manslaughter. The case was called but was continued till October 8.

Case Continued

John Feiera pleaded not guilty to the larceny of a stove valued at $27, the property of Bornstein & Quinn. The case was continued till tomorrow morning.

Neglected His Child

Fred Gilbert was arraigned in court this morning on a complaint charging him with failing to provide for the support of his minor child, Marie Rose. Mrs. Gilbert said that for the past month or so her husband has been away from her and that he has neither contributed towards her support or the support of the child. Gilbert had no excuse to offer other than that he was sick. He failed to account, however, for his leaving his wife and child. He was found guilty and ordered to pay a fine of $20, the money to be paid to his wife.

Case Continued

George Parris, a former resident of this city, was arrested in Woburn yesterday on a warrant charging him with the larceny of a steam organ valued at $25 and a revolver worth $12, the property of John Kansaites. By agreement of counsel, J. Joseph Hennessy for the complainant and James E. O'Donnell for the defendant, the case was continued till Thursday morning.

Court Was Lenient

James J. Kennedy was charged with being drunk and it looked as though he would have to spend the winter at the jail or state farm but Lawyer W. W. Fox stated that the prisoner was a good workman and had worked for his father, and if the court would give the man another chance his father would give him work. Judge Hadley decided that it would be much better for Kennedy to be working than spending the time behind prison bars and gave him a suspended sentence of five months in jail and placed him in the care of the probation officer for one year.

Three Months in Jail

Mary J. Morris, charged with drunkenness, was sentenced to three months in jail. Katherine Cobb was sentenced to the state farm. Michael J. Burns was fined $6 and four first offenders were fined $2 each.

Modernize Your Cleaning Methods

The fall home cleaning should be done by the modern sanitary method of sucking the dirt from the carpet, rug or wall direct into a receptacle from which it can be destroyed.

You can hire our vacuum cleaner by the day. Anyone can operate it. Telephone your order.

The Lowell Electric Light Corp.

50 Central St.

FALL OPENING

WINDOW DISPLAY AT MILEY-KELMAN'S STORE

The Miley-Kelman store at 214 Merrimack street has one of the most artistically arranged window displays in the city. Mr. Kelman is certainly an artist as a window trimmer as he conceived the idea of having a distinctly Scotch window display, and it is attracting great attention. The window is trimmed with red and white ribbons, representing a flag, while the shield portion is in blue and is decorated artistically with white bows representing stars. Old Glory is also suspended from the top of the window. The window fixtures show up all the latest designs in Scotch plaids, neckties and ribbons in great profusion. In the rear of the window is a picture showing a battle by the Scotch hussars and brings forth much favorable comment. There is also a motto inscribed "Fads and fancies come and go, but plaids go on forever." On this placard is an elegant drawing of a thistle on one side and a unicorn on the other. The sidewalls and window are trimmed with every kind of plaid ribbons and plaid articles that would appeal to the ladies. In the centre of the window is a bunch of thistles representing the favorite Scotch flower and a bunch of goldenrod, the American floral emblem. This window display is unique and beautiful and it is well worthy of inspection.

The Miley-Kelman store to the ladies is what a haberdasher's store is to the gentlemen, as everything in the ladies' furnishing goods line can be found there, such as gloves, hosiery, neckties, corsets, shirt waists and other articles too numerous to mention.

The Miley-Kelman store is one of the first to hold an opening and to show the public what it has in the latest fall and winter fashions. We have heard many compliments on the beautiful display.

INTEREST Begins SATURDAY October 2

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

Traders National Bank

Hours, 8.30 to 3. Saturdays, 8.30 to 12.30, 7 to 9.

LOT OF SECOND HAND FURNITURE for sale. 17 First street. Apply 6 to 7 p. m.

I WILL TAKE A CHILD over two to board and give it best of care. Mrs Williams, R. F. D. No. 2, Kenwood.

NEW FIRE HOUSE

The Centralville People Want It Opened at Once

The purchasing agent's department and the department of lands and buildings looked like newly furnished lodging houses this forenoon. Beds were made and there was bed clothing on every side.

The commotion in these departments was decidedly out of the ordinary and the fuss was all due to the new fire house in West Centralville. Beds had been called for by the purchasing agent for beds and bedding, chairs, tables, rugs, etc., and a goodly number of those who have such things for sale were on the ground, ready to talk or to demonstrate.

It was an unfortunate day for the display of goods, however, and the bed clothing and mattresses were pretty well soaked before they reached the "show rooms."

Get a Move On

Ex-Alderman Beaulieu and ex-Councilman Gervais, secretary of the Cigarmakers' union, presented a petition to the mayor this morning asking that the apparatus for the West Centralville fire house be installed at once. The people in West Centralville are up in arms because of the delay and they want everybody to get a move on. Chief Hosmer says he is anxious to have it opened at once. The house is finished and it is not necessary to delay the opening until election time.

City Hall Closed

The city hall and memorial building at Library were closed at two o'clock today out of respect for the late ex-Mayor Charles D. Palmer whose funeral took place at that hour.

Meetings Tonight

The common council will meet in regular session at 8 o'clock tonight and the school board will meet at the same hour.

THREE NEW MILLS

The Bigelow Carpet company will increase its plant in this city to the extent of three new mills that will be built along the Pawtucket canal. The three new mills will cost more than $300,000, and taken together with the big store house for which the foundation has already been laid, the Bigelow Carpet company has a big spell of building on its hands, and it speaks well for the company's prosperity.

All of the company's mills are numbered and the three new mills will be numbered 17, 18 and 19. Only the foundation for mill number 17 will be laid at the present time. This building will be two stories high, 277 by 46 feet. It will be of concrete construction, brick walls and fire proof. It will be used as a dye house.

Mill number 18 will be five stories, 125 by 46. It will be of brick, mill construction and will be used for a laboratory, dye room, paint, belt shops and storage. This building will be equipped with a tower with stairways and elevators.

Mill number 19 will be a three story building, 285 by 46 and will be used for a dye house. It will have brick walls, concrete floors and will be of fire-proof construction.

The contractors are W. N. Pike & Sons of Lawrence and Charles T. Main of Boston is the engineer.

Lowell, Tuesday, Sept. 28

A. G. POLLARD CO.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

Ladies' $1 to $3.50 Kid Gloves at 59c a Pair

At our usual Fall selling of Mended Gloves which begins Thursday, Sept. 30

West Section North Aisle

At Our SPECIAL LINEN SALE

WE OFFER

Silver Bleach and Cream Linen Damasks, 61 inches wide, at Only 50c a Yard. Regular price 69c.

Silver and Full Bleached Damasks, 70 inches wide, at Only 75c a Yard. Regular price $1.00.

Fine Heavy Satin Damask (full bleached), 70 inches wide, at Only 98c a Yard. Regular price $1.50.

Pure Linen Napkins, 19 inches square, all new patterns, at Only $1.29 a Dozen. Regular price $1.50.

Brown's 22½x22½ Heavy Damask Napkins, at Only $2.75 a Dozen. Regular price $3.00.

Big Huck Towels, at 10c. Regular price 12½c.

Linen Damask and Huck Towels, at 25c Each. Regular price 33c.

Heavy Fringed Towels, at 50c. Regular price 75c.

3000 yards of All Linen Crash, at Only 8c a Yard.

500 yards of Washed Crash, at 12½c. Regular price 15c.

Palmer Street Left Aisle

New Outing Flannel at Only 8c Yd.

90 pieces are ready today. Dark and light colors, checks, stripes, etc. All the most desirable shades, with a full nap.

Palmer Street Basement

HAD CONFEDERATE BILL

Child Acted as Santa Claus to Her Playmates

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—A week ago yesterday little Miss Rosie Werblinsky, 9 years old, found a $50 confederate bill while rummaging through her father's trunk, where it had reposed among a lot of souvenirs for the last four years, in her home at 139 Madison street.

Rosie, a pretty child with rosy cheeks, big brown eyes and black hair, didn't know the bill was bad, but something put it into her head to take it, anyway. She went to Mrs. Rachael Feinstein's grocery at 51 Market street and asked for a half cent's [illegible] and a quart of milk, tendering in payment the $50 note. The grocery woman gave the child $49.74 in change.

Rosie has a wide circle of little friends. Imagine if you were 9 years old and fell heir to a fortune of nearly $50—well, Rosie just made Santa Claus look like a piker. First off there was a party in [illegible] under the Manhattan bridge. Besides candies, cakes and pies there were pickles, ice cream, jelly tarts and heaps of goodies.

There was many an aching "tummy" at bedtime that night, but bright and early the following morning the guests were waiting outside Rosie's home long before she was washed and dressed. Most of them had hurried off without breakfast, but even those who had eaten found room for the morning spread, composed of syrup snowballs, ginger pop, sweet pickles, chocolate cake, peanut taffy, with a nickel box of ice cream for each guest which Rosie provided. When every kid had stuffed full the hostess and [illegible] a shopping expedition to Canal street.

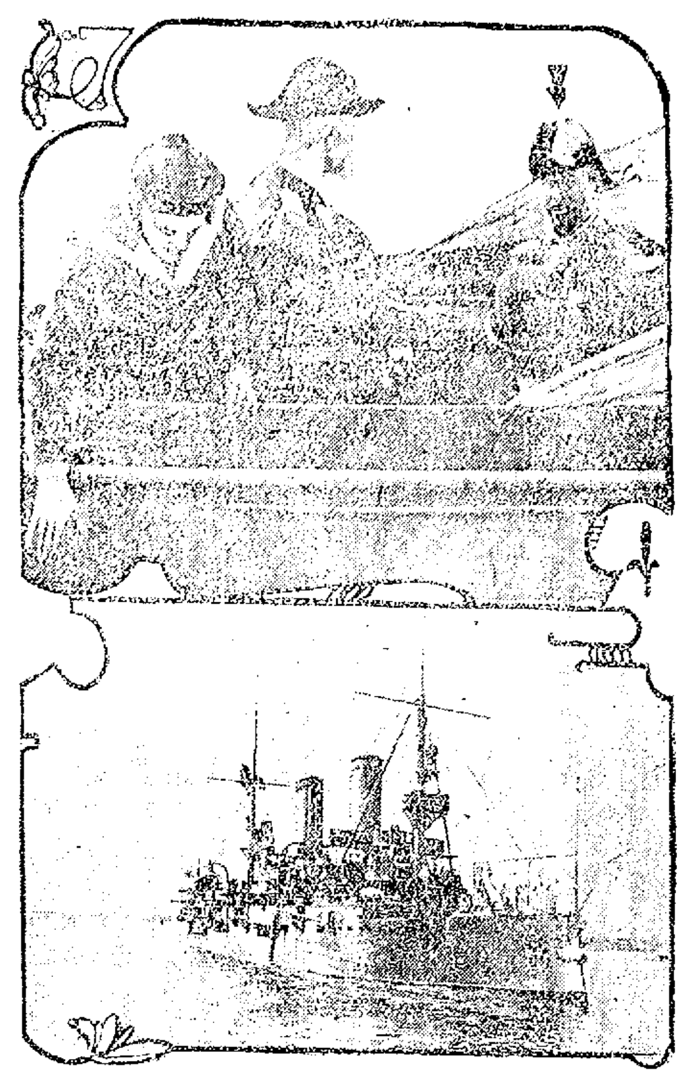
For her bosom chum Celia Hummelstein, Rosie bought a beautiful doll that could open and shut its eyes, a doll carriage and a pair of roller skates. The other girls received toys ranging from rubber dolls to doll houses and sets of furniture. [illegible] and Celia hid their treasures in the [illegible] in the cellar and never attend school, each day they would meet the other children who brought their toys along, under the bridge and [illegible] to their heart's content. And thus the delightful day sped on, all too swiftly, with no thought that there was to be an end.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cahill, Mrs. Feinstein's sister, went to the Immigrants' Industrial Savings bank to deposit $50 for the grocery woman. The receiving teller detected the [illegible] and called a detective. [illegible] vinced the bank officials [illegible] Recent [illegible] with the world [illegible].

Her sister [illegible] blinsky had passed [illegible] her parents stoutly [illegible] she had taken it fro[m] [illegible]. Policeman Cassidy of [illegible] street station walked [illegible] public school No. 177, at [illegible] and Market streets, just before the dismissal bell rang, and right before the eyes of most of the children Rosie had entertained so regally he arrested her. She cried hysterically.

At the station house Rosie steadfastly declared that what remained of $49.74 she had hidden in her father's trunk. A search failed to recover a cent and she said she had no more money. She was sent to the Children's society.

ADMIRAL DU PORD OF FRANCE AND HIS FLAGSHIP AT NEW YORK



NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—France sent three of her newest and best battleships to the Hudson-Fulton celebration in command of Admiral Du Pord. The ships are Justice, Liberte and Verite, and they represent nearly everything that is new in naval construction. The French ships were the first of the foreign visitors to arrive, and Admiral Du Pord was the guest of his countrymen in New York on several occasions before the fete was under way. He and Admiral Schroeder are old friends. This photograph of the French admiral was taken when he left his flagship to pay his first visit to the commander of the American fleet.

POLITICAL TALK

Of Candidates and Several Coming Conventions

While the state election is yet many days away, the mayoralty campaign appears to have assumed shape and the candidates are now busy, one having already opened headquarters.

On the republican end it would appear that there will be but two candidates, Alderman John Wainwright and the mayor. Walter Coburn who was called upon to run by a voice that left no doubt as to its sincerity, has declined to be a candidate, a decision which did not surprise his friends, and hence the opposition field was left to Alderman Wainwright, who would not have been a candidate in the event of Mr. Coburn entering the field. Mr. Wainwright at present is confining himself to soliciting the support of republican voters and it is understood that he is receiving encouragement on all sides.

Mayoralty Candidates

The democracy is confronted with three most likely candidates in the persons of Major Robert J. Crowley, Ex-Rep. James E. O'Donnell and William E. Maloney, former superintendent of the local street railroad. All three have formally announced their respective candidacy within a short time and have begun to get busy. All three are thoroughly competent and popular. Major Crowley and Mr. O'Donnell have had previous successful political experience in Lowell, the former in handling the campaign [illegible] and at city hall, and the latter at the polls, having been elected to the legislature on the democratic ticket in a republican district. Mr. Maloney is running for office in this city for the first time with the backing and support of many well known citizens who regard him as well equipped by training and ability to fill the position acceptably. A quiet ante-caucus campaign is looked for in the democratic ranks, but on the other side, "Blessed are they that expect nothing for they shall not be disappointed."

The Eighth Senatorial District

The eighth senatorial district is about due for another democratic senator unless Senator [illegible] breaks all previous records by getting another term. The senator is opposed this year by Ex-Rep. Henry Draper, the first democrat to break into a republican representative district in recent years. Mr. Draper is making an active canvass and his friends are confident that he will pull off the election.

Mr. Mackenzie, the purchasing agent will have a democratic opponent this year who will test his strength as a

ALONZO G. WALSH,
Republican Candidate for Senator in the Seventh District.

[illegible] Thomas J. Fitzgerald [illegible] well known [illegible] [illegible] Canadian [illegible] [illegible] throughout the city.

A. G. Walsh's Contest

[illegible]

Representative Contests

Two representative contests that will attract some attention between the present time and election day are those in the [illegible] and 19th districts. In the former the democratic candidates are Stephen G. Monahan and Thomas Golden who are opposing Rep. Ernest B. Barlow and Ex-Councilman Marchand. In the 19th district Rep. Blaisdell of Tewksbury has a most formidable democratic opponent in Thomas Cuff, the well known druggist. Mr. Monaghan is exceptionally well known, having been in the employ of the Lowell Gas Light company since school days and a member of the Lowell Cadet band since its start many years ago as St. Patrick's Cadet band. Both democratic candidates are hustlers and it will not be surprising to see the success of McMahon and O'Donnell repeated in this district.

Other Conventions

The councillor convention comes Wednesday, Sept. 29, at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, at Wesleyan hall in East Cambridge.

The eighth senatorial convention will be held in the same place on Thursday, Sept. 30, at 3 p. m.

The 19th Middlesex representative convention comes Monday, October 4, at 8 p. m. The place of meeting for the 14th Middlesex representative convention is not yet fixed.

The state democratic convention will be held September 30, at 11 a. m. at Faneuil hall, in Boston. The eighth senatorial convention comes October 1, at 8 p. m., at the democratic headquarters in this city. The calls for the other conventions have not yet been issued.

PRINCE ARRIVES

To Represent Sultan of Morocco

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—Conspicuous on the decks of the Canopic, which arrived yesterday from the Mediterranean, were four delegates representing the sultan of Morocco at the Hudson-Fulton celebration.

Sid Mohamed Ben Gelm, a prince, had seven servants who compose a his retinue, and they kissed the hem of his [illegible] each time they addressed him.

Dr. Othman Holtmann, [illegible] to the sultan, only member of the delegation who speaks English, took an active part in straightening matters at the pier when some of the many pieces of baggage were temporarily lost sight of in the rush of disembarkation. Sid Mohamed [illegible], the sultan's private secretary, and Sid Mohamed Ben Al [illegible] of the city of Fez completed the [illegible] group. [illegible] from the sultan [illegible] the delegates were [illegible] to go to New York, [illegible] start for Morocco [illegible].

[illegible]

Yesterday afternoon the party, conducted by Prof. [illegible], visited the public library, the famous meeting spots about the city and later spent some time as guests at Harvard college. With their Moorish garbs and oriental customs the party created considerable comment at the various places visited. The members of the delegation confined themselves to their apartments after the dinner hour. This morning they left for New York.

JUST A WORD

Don't suffer pain in dentistry. Dr. Allen, Old City Hall, uses painless methods.

REV. MISS DIXON

Called to the Tewksbury Church

Rev. Sarah A. Dixon Ph D., has received a call to the First Congregational church in Tewksbury and it is understood that the call will be accepted. At a meeting of the church

REV. SARAH A. DIXON.

last night it was unanimously voted to extend the call. The [illegible] of salary and [illegible] with the church [illegible] the former pastor [illegible] Dr. Dixon, occupied [illegible] [illegible] she will locate near Lowell.

RANSOM KILLED

MANILA, Sept. [illegible]—After running [illegible] the [illegible] and [illegible] United State's [illegible] Ransom, a [illegible] killed [illegible] [illegible]

DON'T TAKE OUR WORD

If after trying our perfumes you are not satisfied that they are the equal to the finest 50c an ounce goods you ever used, you may have your money back. Our price is 25c an ounce, which great difference is due to the fact that we make ours while the 50c dealers buy theirs and you have to settle for jobbers' profits. Nine sweet lasting odors to select from. Howard, the druggist, 197 Central street.

LIFE OF A PIMPLE

Complexions are Cleared and Pimples Disappear Overnight Without Trouble.

The dispensers of poslam, a new skin discovery, ask that notice be given that no one is urged to purchase it without first obtaining an experimental package. Everyone who has tried it knows that the fifty-cent box on sale at Falls & Burkinshaw's, Carter & Sherburne's, and all drug stores, is sufficient to cure the worst cases of eczema, where the surface affected is not too large. The itching ceases on first application. It will also cure acne, tetter, blotches, scaly scalp, hives, barber's and every other form of itch, including itching feet. Being flesh-colored and containing no grease, the presence of poslam on exposed surfaces, such as the face and hands, is not perceptible. Water and soap cannot be used in connection with it, as these irritate and prolong skin troubles, sometimes even causing them.

As to the experimental package of poslam, it can be had free of charge by mail of the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York. It alone is sufficient to clear the complexion over night, and to rid the face of pimples in twenty-four hours.

FINANCIER SUED

Angry Husband Places Damages at $200,000

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Theodore P. Shonts, president of the Interborough street railway interests in New York, has been sued for $200,000 by Edward Hipsh, the New York agent of a Kentucky distilling company, on the allegation of alienating the affections of Mrs. Hipsh. Mr. Shonts' attorney, De Lancey Nicoll, declares that there is no foundation for the charge so far

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as Mr. Shonts is concerned and that the whole thing is a case of mistaken identity. Mr. Shonts is the father of the widow of the Duke de Chaulnes, and his family moves in the highest society in New York. Mrs. Hipsh is a beautiful woman, several years younger than her husband.

PLEADED GUILTY

To Charge of Breaking and Entering

LAWRENCE, Sept. 28.—Jeffrey O'Connell and James B. McCarthy pleaded guilty in the superior court yesterday to a charge of breaking and entering and unlawful appropriation. They were accused of entering a stable in Peabody, taking a horse and carriage and driving to Boston, later abandoning the turnout in Salem. O'Connell was sentenced to six months in the house of correction and McCarthy to the reformatory.

In the trial of Henry Ploss of Salem, charged with breaking and entering, Judge Hardy commented for the second time during the day on the tendency of the jurors at this term of court to acquit defendants. He said that he was no part of the prosecution, but that, if he was a jury he should consider it his duty to convict some persons for the good of the community.

Subsequently the jury, deliberating on the case of Michael Sullivan of Peabody, charged with breaking and entering, but out when the charge in the Ploss case was given, rendered a verdict of not guilty. Ploss was found guilty.

George H. Taylor of Boston pleaded not guilty to the charge of perjury, alleged to have been committed in Newburyport. It is charged that Taylor furnished straw bail. Bail was fixed at $2500, which was furnished. Thomas O'Brien pleaded not guilty and Marcel Blanchette and George Michaud guilty to the charge of breaking and entering in Salem.

Charles W. Noyes of Haverhill was placed on trial on statutory charge affecting his small daughter. The case was unfinished at adjournment.

HARRIMAN WILL

Widow is Named as Executrix

GOSHEN, N. Y., Sept. 28.—The will of E. H. Harriman was admitted to probate by Surrogate John B. Swezey at Goshen yesterday. Chas. A. Peabody and C. C. Tegell, who witnessed the document, were present and made affidavits and the will was probated without objection.

Mr. Peabody presented papers in which Mrs. Harriman qualified as sole executrix and letters testamentary were granted to her.

Joseph W. Gott, a Goshen attorney who for 25 years had transacted most of the business growing out of the purchase of 45,000 acres of Orange county land by Mr. Harriman was appointed special guardian for the minor heirs.

Mr. Peabody said he would not ask for the appointment of an appraiser of the estate at this time, but might do so later.

THE READING CO.

Fixes the Price of Coal, Says President Baer

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.—"There has never been any agreement, combination or conspiracy between the companies I represent and any other coal or railroad companies to control the output or sale of anthracite coal," declared George F. Baer of the Reading company yesterday when the hearing of the government's suit to dissolve the alleged hard coal trust was resumed in the federal building here.

"Some of my toplofical friends in New York who are operating coal companies and railroads said the Reading had no right to go west when our company began seeking a market in the west," he said.

Mr. Baer, who appeared on the stand for the first time in the two years the case has been under way, spoke for both the Reading companies and the Jersey Central railroad and Lehigh and Wilkesbarre company, of which he is the head. He entered a specific denial to all the charges contained in the complaint of the government filed in June, 1907.

In denying that the individual operators were forced to sell their coal to the coal carriers on the 65 per cent. basis, Mr. Baer said the individual operators entered into a voluntary agreement with the railroads. The cost of mining and selling the coal, he said, was expensive, and by selling their product to the railroad the individual risked nothing in transportation, had no expense in marketing his coal and was always sure of his money. The railroads, Mr. Baer said, did not care whether the independent companies continued the contract or canceled it.

Reading's Expense Heavy

Mr. Baer explained that the uniform price charged for anthracite coal is not the result of an agreement. The Reading company, he said, is under greater expense than any other company in producing coal and it fixes a fair price. The others follow and reap a greater profit.

Taking up the last increase of 50 cents a ton in domestic sizes after the strike of 1902, Mr. Baer said the increase in wages and other expenses resulting from the strike would have caused the company to operate at a loss or shut down had not the price been raised.

"The public must not forget," said Mr. Baer, turning to the newspaper men, "that 40 per cent. of the output of the Reading company is sold below cost of production. The public estimates coal profits on the prices of domestic sizes and does not take into consideration the low cost of steam sizes."

Purchase of New Jersey Central

Mr. Baer denied that the New Jersey Central railroad was acquired to shut off competition. He said the Jersey Central had the best harbor facilities in New York harbor for shipping coal, and had enough land for 100 years to come for expansion.

He heard that the Jersey Central was for sale and that the parties in control of it were tired of it. He went to J. P. Morgan and told him what he had heard and that the acquisition of the Jersey Central was necessary for the Reading for a New York terminus.

Mr. Morgan told Mr. Baer to investigate, and the result was that the Jersey Central was secured by the Reading, not to stifle competition, Mr. Baer said, but to prevent competing companies from ruining the Reading.

Reading Controls Lehigh

The Temple Iron company, the capital stock of which is owned by the majority of the hard coal carrying roads, acquired certain collieries, Mr. Baer said, to save the credit of the Erie company and other enterprises which would have been affected if the Erie got into financial difficulties.

Mr. Baer was cross-examined in the afternoon by James B. McReynolds, special assistant to the U. S. attorney general.

The witness admitted that all the roads shipping anthracite coal to New York are competitors. After this admission Mr. McReynolds got Mr. Baer to admit that the Reading company secured a controlling interest in the Lehigh Valley railroad company.

The Jersey Central stock, Mr. Baer testified, was acquired in 1901 and the same traffic arrangements exist now as prior to the acquisition. A large block of the Lehigh Valley stock, he said, was secured by the Reading, Erie, Lake Shore and other roads because the Lehigh Valley road was in bad financial condition, and the bad effect of its going into the hands of receivers would have been felt by other roads. The Reading company, he said, never had control of the Lehigh Valley.

Mr. Baer was the only witness of the day. The hearing was adjourned until Wednesday, when the final testimony will be taken in New York. It is not known when the case will be taken up in the U. S. court here.

BIG SMELTING CO.

Decided to go Out of Business

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—It was announced here today that the Boston & Colorado Smelting Co. which has been engaged in the smelting business at Denver for nearly 45 years is to be dissolved and the assets divided among its stockholders. These are largely residents in New England. Shortage of copper and other ores necessary in the making of copper matter is responsible for this action. Although the company is said to have lost heavily it is in a favorable condition for liquidation at the present time and the directors decided to end the company. The Boston & Colorado Smelting Co. was incorporated under Massachusetts laws in 1865 with $1,500,000 capital. It was later reincorporated under Colorado laws. Costello Converse of Newbridge is president.

SPITTING NUISANCE

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CHARITIES CONFERENCE

Separate Committees to Have Charge of the Sessions

The seventh session of the Massachusetts state conference of charities will be held in Boston on October 19, 20 and 21. Following the program of previous conferences the various sessions will be in charge of separate committees, made up of people thoroughly acquainted with the separate topics. An unusual array of speakers appears in the preliminary announcement. The first session will be an afternoon excursion to Waverly, to visit the School for the Feeble-minded. Dr. Walter E. Fernald will address the conference on the methods of the school. All other sessions will be held at Ford Hall at the corner of Ashburton place and Bowdoin street. The main features of the various sessions are announced as follows:

Tuesday evening, October 19, subject, "How the School Can Serve the Home." Addresses by Mrs. Ellen H. Richards, instructor in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Dr. George S. C. Badger, editor "Hygiene and Physical Education;" Francis Bardwell of Sherborn.

Wednesday morning, October 20, subject, "Dependent and Neglected Families and Children." Addresses by James E. Fee, of the Massachusetts Board of Charity; Miss Alice L. Higgins, Secretary Boston Associated Charities.

Wednesday afternoon: Subject, "Social Work With the Sick and Convalescent." Addresses by Dr. Lewis M. Palmer, of South Framingham; Dr. Richard C. Cabot of Boston.

Wednesday evening: Subject, "Hygiene of Sex." President Charles W. Eliot will preside and there will be addresses by Dr. Abner Post of Boston; President G. Stanley Hall of Clark university; Dr Marshall H. Bailey of Cambridge; Miss Maud E. Miner, probation officer of the night court, New York; Dr. Francis D. Donoghue of Boston.

Thursday morning, October 21: Subject, "The Prevention of Drunkenness." Addresses are expected on "Treatment in Medical Clinics" and "Education in Temperance."

Thursday afternoon: Subject, "The Treatment of Inebriety." Addresses by Edwin Mulready, executive officer of the Massachusetts Probation commission; Dr. Irwin H. Neff, Superintendent of the Foxboro State hospital; Bailey B. Burritt, of the New York Charities Aid association.

A social gathering of all who attend the conference will be held at the rooms of the Twentieth Century club on Wednesday afternoon. The secretary of the conference, Seymour H. Stone, 48 Rutland street, will give further information to all who desire it.

DECLINE SHOWN

In the Exportation of Foodstuffs

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—Recent discussions regarding the apparent decline in the exportation of foodstuffs from the United States and the increasing share of its foodstuffs required by its own population lend interest to a statement just prepared by the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor showing the share of the wheat and corn crops exported and retained for consumption, respectively, and the quantity of meats and food animals exported during a term of years, the record having been brought down to the end of the fiscal year 1909.

These figures of the bureau of statistics make it apparent that the share exported of the wheat and corn crops of the United States has been materially less since 1903 than at any time during the twenty years immediately preceding that date. In the twenty-year period from 1883 to 1903 the share of the wheat crop exported ranged from 40 per cent. downward, on only two occasions falling below 26 per cent. In 1904, however, the share of the wheat crop exported was but 13 per cent.; in 1905, 8 per cent.; in 1906, 14 per cent.; in 1907, 20 per cent.; and in 1909, 17 per cent. these figures showing in each case the percentage which the exports of the fiscal year bore to the crop of the calendar year immediately preceding. The figures of 1909 show 14 million bushels of wheat, including flour in terms of wheat, exported in the fiscal year (ending June 30, and this exportation in the twelve months ending June 30 is compared, with the crop of the calendar year 1908. As to the production itself, of the figures utilized by the bureau (those of the department of agriculture) indicate that there is no material decline in quantity produced, but that the decrease in exportation is apparently due to the fact that consumption is growing more rapidly than production. The crop of 1908 is given at 665 million bushels, and has only been exceeded on five occasions in the history of the country, while the exportation in the fiscal year following the production of this 665 millions bushels, was but 114 million bushels, a figure less than in any year from 1891 to the present time, with the exceptions of 1905 and 1906.

Corn exportations also show a like falling off and a like reduction in the share which they form of the total crop. The percentage of the corn crop sent out of the country is always much less than that of wheat, the bulk of the enormous corn crop of the United States being transformed into meats before exportation. In 1898, 11.14 per cent of the corn crop was exported, and in 1905, 10.30 per cent; but, as a rule, the percentage exported falls much below these figures, having been in the fiscal year 1906, 4.43 per cent; in 1907, 2.95 per cent; in 1908, 2.12 per cent; while in the fiscal year 1909 only 1.41 per cent of the crop of the calendar year 1908 was exported, although that crop amounted to 2,668,651,000 bushels, the quantity exported in the fiscal year 1910 being 37,665,040 bushels, including meal in terms of corn, or less than in any year since 1895 with the single exception of the fiscal year 1902 following the short crop of 1901.

Meat exportations also show a marked falling off when compared with their export record during the past decade. The exports of fresh beef, which in 1901 amounted to 352 million pounds, and in 1906 to over 270 million pounds, dropped to 123 millions in 1909; of salted or pickled beef, which in 1906 were 81 million pounds and in 1908 47 millions, showed but 41 1-2 millions in 1909; of canned beef, which in 1906 were 76 million pounds and in 1908 23 millions, amounted to but 17 million pounds in 1909. Tallow exportations fell from 128 million pounds in 1907 to 53 millions in 1909; bacon, from [illegible] million pounds in 1899 and [illegible] millions in 1906 to 245 millions in 1909; exportations of hams show but a slight decrease, being in 1909 212 million pounds, against 227 millions in 1908, the highest record of the decade. Exports of pork, salted or pickled, dropped from 150 million pounds in 1908 to 52 millions in 1909; of lard from [illegible] million pounds in 1906 and [illegible] million pounds in 1908 to 520 millions in 1909; of oleo oil, from 212 million pounds in 1908 to 158 millions in 1909, while the total value of all meat and dairy products exported fell from 211 million dollars in 1906 and 212 millions in 1907 to 167 millions in 1909, despite the higher prices which prevailed in the latter year.

The number of cattle exported, which totaled 593,000 in 1904, 584,000 in 1906, and 349,000 in 1908, was in 1909 but 208,000, or less than half the annual average during the five-year period immediately preceding.

In scarcely any of the important articles of foodstuffs are the figures of export values as high in 1909 as in immediately preceding years, although the prices per unit of quantity are, in most cases, higher in 1909 than in earlier years. The value of corn exports in 1909 was but 25 million dollars, against 51 millions in the immediately preceding year; of wheat, 68 million dollars, against 160 millions in the immediately preceding year; of flour, 51 millions in 1909, against 64 millions in 1908; of cattle, 18 millions in 1909, against 29 millions in 1908; and in nearly all articles of meats and in the total of meat and dairy products the figures of 1909 are, as already indicated, below those of the immediately preceding year or of the annual average of a brief term of years immediately preceding. The total value of all foodstuffs (including food animals) exported in the fiscal year 1909 was but 328 million dollars, against 521 millions in 1908, 583 millions in 1901, and 590 millions in 1898.

BRAVE OFFICER

Rescued Child From a Burning Building

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—Bertha Greenburg, 7 years old, had a narrow escape from being suffocated by smoke from a fire, which started in the room in which she was sleeping in her parents' home on the top floor of the three-story tenement house, 77 Phillips street, West End, at 8.15 last night.

The child was lying on a couch and the fire which was fast eating up a bureau on the other side of the room, was giving out clouds of smoke, when Patrolman A. F. Marston of division 3 rushed in and carried her to safety.

At the time Mrs. Greenburg and two children, one of them a babe in arms, were in the kitchen in the rear of the tenement. When she saw the fire and smoke, she hustled out on the fire escape with the two children, unmindful of the little girl in the room.

Some one in the streets saw smoke coming from the upper windows of the house and yelled, attracting Patrolman Marston, who rushed upstairs. Seeing no one in the kitchen he made his way to the front room and rescued the almost unconscious child. He carried her to the tenement downstairs, where he found Mrs. Greenburg and the other two little ones.

An alarm was sounded from box 2123. It was a hard drag for the fire horses up the steep incline and all the firemen, with the exception of the drivers, jumped from the apparatus and gave the animals a lift. The fire destroyed the front room with its furnishings and did considerable damage to the room in the rear. The total damage was about $500. The building is owned by Benjamin Gurber.

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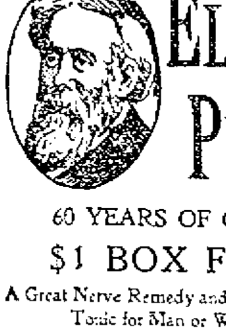

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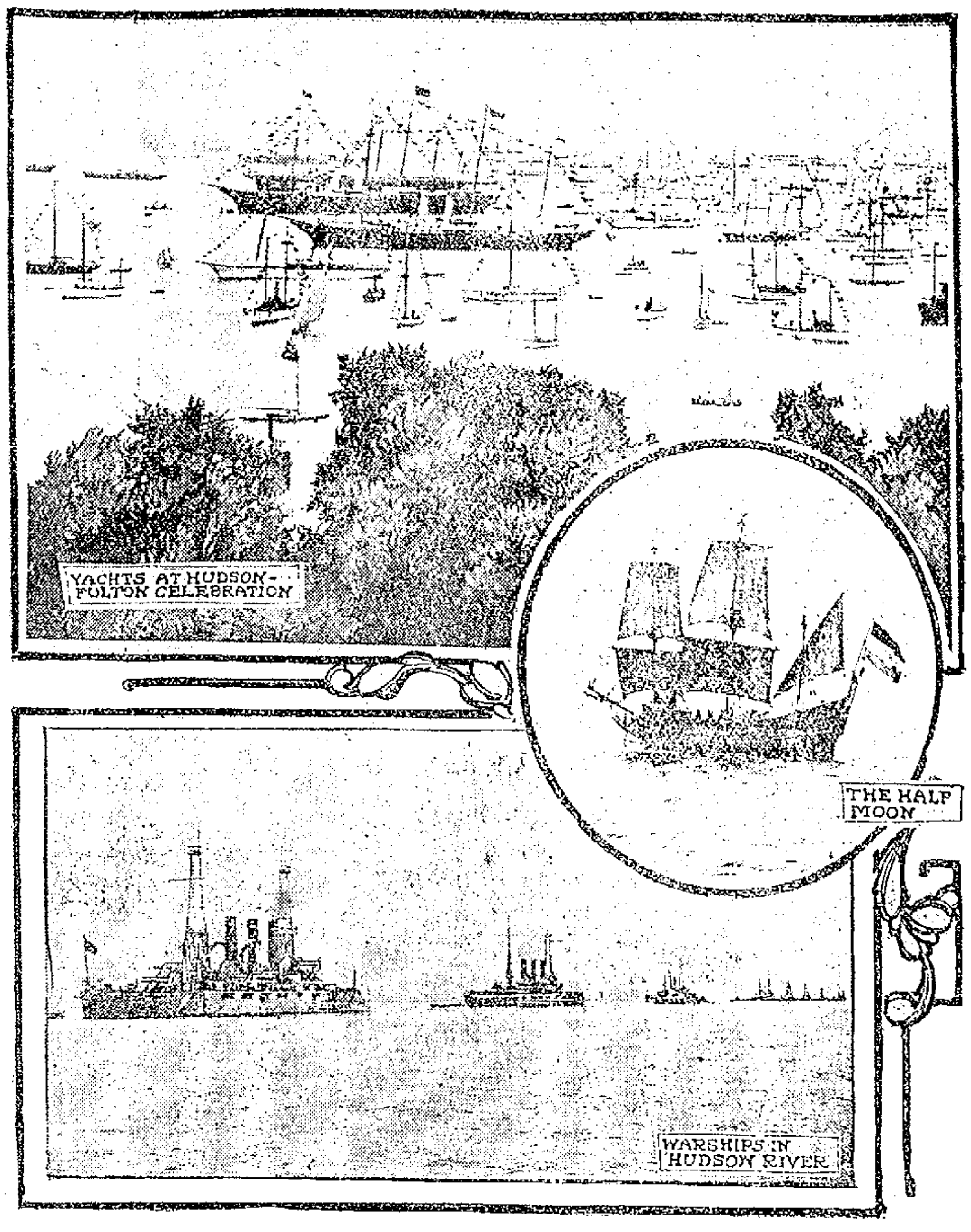

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—There were 78 steam yachts in the great parade of vessels that encircled the international warship fleet at the Hudson-Fulton celebration. These yachts, representing many millions of dollars, were gaily decked with flags for the afternoon parade, and in the evening procession they were brilliantly illuminated with colored lights, and many of them played searchlights on the warships and along the shores of the river as they proceeded up the stream. As the parade passed along the ten mile line of warships each in turn saluted the Half Moon and the Clermont with 21 guns. Such a thunder of guns was never heard in or around the harbor of New York. Although the palatial yachts formed only a small part of the water pageant, they attracted a great deal of attention. J. Pierpont Morgan's palatial Corsair was the flagship of the yacht fleet, which consisted of eight divisions. These pictures show some of the yachts dressed for the gala occasion and the Half Moon under sail.

GRAND RECEPTION

In Honor of the Envoys of Seven Nations

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—The envoys of the seven nations which have sent ships of war and the special delegates of other nations participating in the Hudson-Fulton celebration, were officially received last night at a reception in the Metropolitan Opera House under the auspices of the Hudson-Fulton commission. Seated on the stage was a distinguished gathering, including dignitaries from the countries of Europe, the Orient and South America, officials of city and state and men prominent in business and professional life of this country. One of the most conspicuous figures on the stage, and the only woman occupying such a position, was Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, the venerable author of the Battle Hymn of the Republic. Because of her advanced years, Mrs. Howe sat in a wheeled chair. At her left was Admiral Sir Edward Seymour of the British fleet, while nearby were M. Jean Gaston Darboux, the French representative; Rear-Admiral Seaton Schroeder, commanding the Atlantic battleship fleet; Contre-Amiral Le Pord, of the French battleship [illegible]; His Excellency Yusuf Zia [illegible], the Turkish minister.

On the right of Mayor McClellan [illegible] Prince Kuni of Japan; Governor Charles E. Hughes of this state; Grand Admiral Von Koester of the German fleet and Vice-Admiral [illegible] of the Italian fleet.

Behind the naval officers [illegible] gold lace and decorations [illegible] forty or more of the [illegible] Hudson-Fulton commission [illegible] General Stewart L. Woodford [illegible] Mayor Seth Low [illegible].

General Stewart L. Woodford, chairman of the Hudson-Fulton commission, [illegible] introduced Mayor McClellan [illegible] of the evening. Mayor McClellan introduced Bishop David H. Greer of the Episcopal diocese of New York, who delivered the invocation. The [illegible] most conspicuous part of his remarks was his saying in the hearing of the naval officers of the chief powers of the world, "Bind the nations of the earth in the bonds of brotherhood and peace: make wars to cease and righteousness to reign."

In his address extending a welcome on behalf of the city, Mayor McClellan spoke briefly.

After a song by the New York Banks' Glee club, Mrs. Howe read an original poem, paying an eloquent tribute to Henry Hudson and Robert Fulton.

An address of welcome on behalf of the commission was delivered by General Woodford, then the roll of nations was called, beginning with Argentina and concluding with Turkey. There were cheers and handclapping as each delegate stepped forward and presented either a message from his sovereign or an appropriate address. The assemblage grew especially enthusiastic when the delegates of Japan, Holland, Germany and England came forward and the cheering lasted for more than a minute. The majority of the delegates presented their addresses after having read them to Mayor McClellan, while the delegate from Norway read a congratulatory message from King Haakon. Referring to the Vikings he said that Norway had in reality discovered America before Columbus knew of its existence.

After the address of the Dutch [illegible] J. T. Cramer, the [illegible] of Holland was played while the Hudson-Fulton flag was [illegible] amid great cheering.

SIGNOR CANOVIA

TO WRITE ON THE ITALIAN BANKING SYSTEM

ROME, Sept. 28.—Signor [illegible] secretary of the Bank [illegible] now in Paris, telegraphs [illegible] that he has met Senator Nelson W. Aldrich, of the American monetary commission, to whom he explained in detail the Italian banking system. Signor Canovia said he [illegible] offer to write a [illegible] for the commission.

STATE CAMPAIGN

The Democratic Leaders Outline Party's Policy

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—The republican party will be attacked on the national issues—the tariff, income tax and others—during the coming state campaign, according to the program laid down last night by the democratic leaders at a conference held at the City club, preceding the state convention to be held Thursday.

Chairman Fred J. MacLeod presided and the speakers were Congressmen Peters, Keliher, and O'Connell, former mayor J. H. McNamee of Cambridge, Dr. John W. Coughlin, national democratic committeeman, from Fall River; former Mayor Connor of Northampton and Edward Gallagher of Lowell. The state commissions were attacked by G. Bradford.

No opposition developed to the candidacy of James H. Vahey to lead the party's state ticket although it was stated that Mayor J. T. Coughlin of Fall River intended to keep in the contest to the end. Neither Vahey nor Mayor Coughlin was present at the conference.

JUSTICE GAYNOR

Endorsed for Mayor of New York

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Justice William J. Gaynor, whose candidacy for the New York mayoralty has been [illegible] independent and [illegible] political organizations [illegible] the endorsement last [illegible] organization calling itself [illegible] [illegible].

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THE PRESIDENT

Had an Auto Ride Over the Mountains

HELENA, Mont., Sept. 28.—Attired in a linen duster and an old black slouch hat and swinging an electric lantern at his side, President Taft was locked in a narrow iron cage and dropped 1200 feet through darkness into the depths of the famous old Leonard copper mine at Butte yesterday. He had the rare experience of seeing miners at work with a giant drill in a vein of high grade ore which sparkled green with its wealth of mineral. After half an hour underground, the president was brought to the surface blinking in the glare of the noonday sun. He was cheered to the echo by the crowd of curious people gathered at the hoist. He declared enthusiastically:

"I would not have missed it for the world."

It was the president's first visit to the Montana copper region and between the smelters at Anaconda and the mines at Butte he had a series of interesting experiences. Not the least of these was a thrilling automobile ride over the mountains from Butte to the mouth of the Leonard mine. The grades were steep and winding but the chauffeurs were experienced men; and while there was apparently no threat of danger at any stage of the trip, there was a sigh of relief when Mr. Taft had once more been placed safely aboard the Mayflower for the run to Helena.

On arriving at Helena, he went directly to the State fair grounds, where, after viewing a portion of the exhibits, he made an open air address and witnessed a race of cowboys. Returning to the city, Mr. Taft reviewed another parade.

After leaving Helena last evening he headed direct for Spokane, where he is expected today to deliver his formal speech on the conservation of the natural resources and the reclamation of arid lands.

President Taft walked with a limp when he first got off the train yesterday morning at Anaconda, the result of a sprained tendon in his right foot. The accident occurred at Beverly, but he suffered little inconvenience from it until yesterday when his foot was considerably swollen. There is nothing serious about the hurt, and Mr. Taft did not let it interfere in any way with his plans.

The president made a flying trip through the Washoe smelter of the Amalgamated Copper company at Anaconda, then proceeded into the city, and, after a brief address, took the train for Butte. The crowds which greeted him on the streets there were the largest he had seen since leaving Chicago. The police had their hands full in opening a way for the automobile procession and after the president's car had passed, the crowd swarmed in his wake. Speaking at the court house, the president looked out upon a mass of humanity which blocked the square and spread far down the converging streets. He made a decided hit with the great throng when he told them of the wonderful impression the country was making upon him and ending by saying:

"I am like the old Dutchman who said 'The more you live the more you find, by golly, out.'" When the president disappeared down the shaft of the Leonard mine, yesterday with a hearty good-bye shouted to the waving group at the entrance, he carried with him into the depths of the earth two of his cabinet officers, and won the presidential record for the farthest underground.

President Roosevelt entered some of the Butte mines during his term, but did not get down to the 1200 foot level.

Postmaster General Hitchcock, who joined the president yesterday at Anaconda, and Secretary Ballinger accompanied the president in the picturesque trip down the dark chute and through the cross-cuts and drifts of the deep level.

The whole method of copper mining was explained to the president.

At Butte, the president received a full sized golf club driver made of copper, silver and gold, the three metals which have made the Butte camp famous.

On the head of the driver the following inscription was engraved:

"William Howard Taft, Champion 1909-1913 foursome. Butte, Mont., September 27, 1909."

When the president's special train pulled into Helena a reception committee composed of 400 citizens from all parts of Montana greeted Mr. Taft. He was driven in an automobile directly to the Fair grounds where the fair was in progress. Fully 20,000 people gathered in and about the grounds to see and hear the president.

PROF. PEARSON BURIED

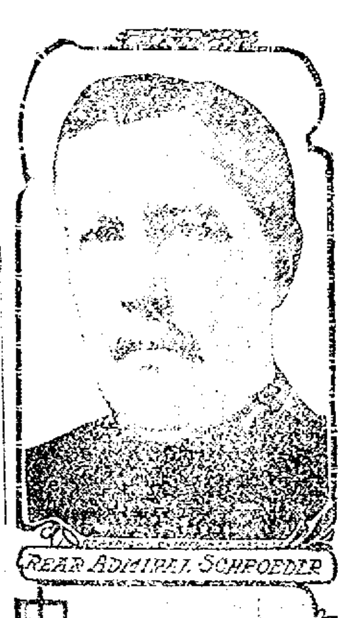
BOSTON, Sept. 28.—Attended by prominent medical men from various parts of the country, the funeral of Dr. Leonard Pearson, professor of veterinary medicine in the University of Pennsylvania since 1891, was held late yesterday at Forest Hills cemetery, the officiating clergyman being Rev. Harris D. Hale of Brooklyn, N. Y.

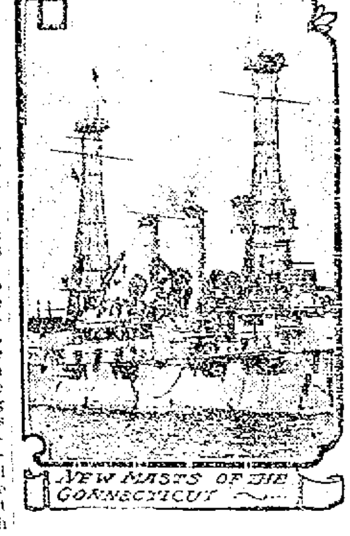
Dr. Pearson died at Spruce Brook, Newfoundland a week ago and the body was brought here yesterday.

THE U. S. ADMIRAL

And Flagship at the Hudson Fete

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Rear-Admiral Seaton Schroeder, who is in command of the Atlantic battleship fleet, is the busiest man connected with the Hudson-Fulton celebration, for the major part of the entertainment of the visiting naval officers devolves upon him. Schroeder is the





ranking American officer at the fete, and as such he not only has to look after the welfare of his own fleet, but must see to the comfort of his visitors. Innumerable interchanges of courtesies according to naval etiquette give the admiral more to do than has fallen to the lot of an American officer in many years.

Next week is "quarter week" at the Lowell Five Cent Savings bank.

NEW ALLEYS

OF Y. M. C. I. TO BE OPENED TONIGHT

The Young Men's Catholic Institute will formally open its new bowling alleys, tonight. Three new regulation alleys have been installed by the Brunswick, Balk, Collinder Co., of New York. These alleys are by far the best and highest priced in the city at the present time. Rev. George Nolan, O. M. I., the newly appointed pastor of the Immaculate Conception church, will roll the first ball on the alleys. The contest of the evening will be a three-cornered match between the Y. M. C. I. team and two teams including the best men in the Catholic league. James Wynne will captain one team while George Lebrun will captain the other.

Friday evening, Oct. 8, '09, the institute will hold its first winter social. The famous Union Singing orchestra of Marlboro will furnish the music. The entertainment will consist of songs, readings and specialties between the dances by the best local talent. Dancing will start at 8 o'clock sharp.

Tuesday evening, October 5, '09, there will be a Ladies' Night at the rooms. Gilmore's orchestra will furnish the music for dancing.

EXPLORER COOK

TO DELIVER A LECTURE IN BOSTON

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—It was announced last night that Dr. Frederick A. Cook will deliver a lecture here next Friday night under the auspices of the Arctic Club of America.

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EXPLORER COOK

Says That His Instruments Are Not Lost

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—My instruments are not lost; I am sure of that," said Dr. Cook in a further interview with the Associated Press yesterday. "I shall have them brought here. My Eskimos are at Etah and they know the value of the instruments although they do not understand how to use them. They have a kind of sacred regard for them and will take good care of them. If I had known what I know now I should not have left either records or instruments at Etah. Mr. Whitney told me and fully believed his ship was going to that place and he advised me to leave my things in his care to be brought to New York on board his ship where they would not be jolted so much as in a long sledge journey over the rough land ice to Uppernavik. I did not think at any moment of having them forwarded on the Peary ship. If I had not met Mr. Whitney I should not have taken them on the sledge with me to Uppernavik. As to the incident of the American flag which I had hoisted temporarily at the pole and then brought back to Etah with me I gave Mr. Whitney it at his special request. He had it in his private trunk when he went on board the Roosevelt, but he was not, according to his own statement, permitted to bring it with him. He was compelled to take it out of the trunk and bury it."

Asked what he thought of Peary's action Dr. Cook said:

"I prefer to wait. If Peary had been in need of anything in Etah he could have anything of mine. I gave Mr. Whitney instructions to turn over any of my things to Peary or any white man who required them and when he came away to give them to my Eskimos."

On the question of his equipment Dr. Cook was very emphatic that he possessed all that was necessary. The statement that the condition of his boots would show whether he had been to the pole brought the reply:

"We used Eskimo sealskin kamiks. When the first pair were worn out we gave them to the dogs to eat when we reached Jones sound and there made new ones. These also were worn out and we made others with which we returned to Etah. When we arrived there the boots were comparatively new. We built our own sledges at Annatok. One of my sledges was given to Mr. Whitney."

When the subject of his relations with Peary was touched upon Dr. Cook said:

"I have never had any trouble with Lieut. Peary and cannot explain his attitude. I expect to meet him when he returns but whether I shall go to see him or whether he will come to me I cannot say. I am prepared to meet any charges he will formulate over his signature."

JEWELRY STOLEN

Burglars Got Away With $7500 Worth of Gems

PROVIDENCE, Sept. 28.—The police of this city today made public the fact that two cottages at Long Meadow, outside of the city, were entered yesterday, the burglars escaping with $500 in cash and jewelry valued at $7500. At the summer home of Fred B. Horton of this city all the jewelry was secured with $400 in money. The remainder of the money was stolen from the summer cottage of Frank F. Marsh of this city. The burglars evidently were frightened away from the Marsh house by some noise before they had completed their work as there was considerable jewelry in the house which they did not touch.

AWARD CONTRACT

For the New Auto Protective

The Knox Automobile Mfg. Co. has been awarded the contract to furnish the new auto protective wagon in Warren street. The contract was given out from the mayor's office yesterday afternoon after a long conference between the mayor and the chief of the department of supplies. There were also present representatives of several other automobile firms.

HARRY GONZALES

RETURNED WITH HIS WIFE FROM MAINE

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gonzales have returned from Maine, where they have been visiting the past two weeks. Both are natives of Maine. Harry claiming Ellsworth as his birthplace while Mrs. Gonzales was born in Brooklyn, Me. During their trip they visited both places and were royally received by their old time neighbors. They also took a run over to Bar Harbor and enjoyed themselves immensely. Harry armed with his favorite fishing tackle had some sport with the fishes and succeeded in landing a six and one-half pound salmon, the first he ever caught. He also went deep sea fishing and had his usual fine luck.

LOSS IS $20,000

Moulton Mill Destroyed by Fire

GARDINER, Me., Sept. 28.—By the destruction of the Moulton lumber mill yesterday the town of Randolph loses its only industry owned by home capital. The mill, with 50,000 feet of lumber, 75,000 shingles and valuable machinery was destroyed. The loss is estimated at $20,000, only about $2000 of which is covered by insurance.

The fire is thought to have originated from a hot box. The burning of the mill will throw 20 men out of employment. The owners of the mill are Joseph and Warren S. Moulton and heirs of the Oliver Moulton estate.

CHELMSFORD.

Amos F. Adams, donor of the Adams library, has presented the library a portrait of himself which the trustees formally accepted at a meeting held yesterday. The picture will be hung in the trustees' room. The secretary was instructed to forward the thanks of the trustees to the donor of the gift.

JURY DECIDES

Woman Was Not of Sound Mind

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—A supreme court jury before Judge Braley yesterday decided that Anna L. Shaw, a maiden lady who lived at 30 Mellen street, Dorchester, and who died, aged 85, in April last, was not of sound mind at the time of the execution of her will, and that the instrument was procured through undue influence. This verdict, if it stands, breaks the will. The case was that of Isaac Riley et als., executors against Maria S. Eayrs, a sister of the testatrix, who is also of advanced age.

Anna L. Shaw left an estate valued at from $16,000 to $17,000. In her will she provided for the payment of $5000, approximately, to her relatives, and left the balance to Mrs. Lillian M. Nelson, who had been her friend for many years and had entered into an agreement to provide and care for the testatrix and her invalid sister, Sarah E. Shaw, for life.

After a hearing in the probate court Judge George allowed the will. Objections were made there to the allowance of the instrument on the ground of incompetency and undue influence. The case then went to the supreme court on the appeal of Mrs. Eayrs.

The issues presented to the jury were:

"Was Anna L. Shaw, deceased, of sound mind at the time of the execution of the instrument offered for probate as her last will and testament?"

"Was the execution of said instrument procured through the undue influence of Lillian M. Nelson and Rizpah L. Learned, or either of them?"

To the first question the jury answered "No," and to the second question the answer was "Yes."

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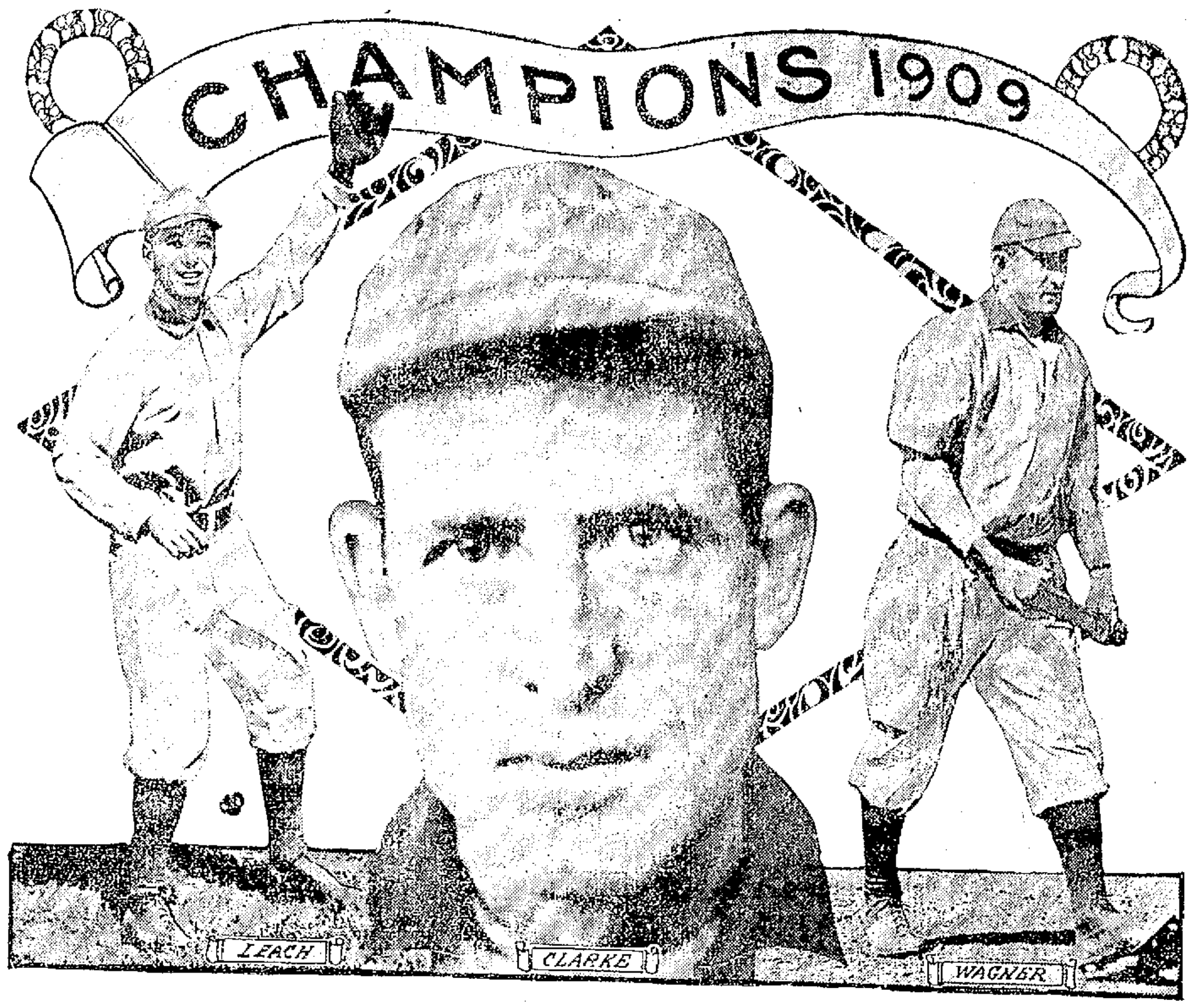
If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

FRED CLARKE, WHO PILOTS PITTSBURGS TO CHAMPIONSHIP-- MIGHTY HANS WAGNER AND TOM LEACH, TWO OF HIS STARS



NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—One need not necessarily consider baseball statistics to figure out why the Pittsburg club leads the National league and practically has the pennant won. The best examples of inside baseball seen this season have been put up by the Pirates. Manager Fred Clarke, a past master of this most essential quality in baseball, has proved himself one of the greatest leaders in the history of the game. Clarke developed and made championship timber of several players who looked at the beginning of the season no better than third raters. He is a fighter, headier probably than nearly any other manager today, and as a guesser he has displayed the rarest skill in hair raising contests with the Cubs and Giants. Clarke has been manager of the Pittsburg club for ten years. **In that time the club has never finished out of the first division, winning three consecutive pennants, finishing second three times, third once, fourth once and being tied with New York for second place last season.** The pennant of 1909 on top of such a record as that places Clarke in a position alone as a baseball leader. The Pirates lead in club batting, are supreme in fielding and are far in the lead in the matter of long hits. Mighty **Hans Wagner**, though closely pressed by Seymour of New York, leads the batters of the league, as usual. Clarke and Leach are among the ten best sluggers. In the pitching department the Pittsburgs also excel. Camnitz, Frock, Willis, Leever, Phillippi, Liefield and Maddox are among the leading 15 twirlers in the National league.

EXCITING GAMES

Detroit and Philadelphia Were Both Defeated

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—New York and Detroit were to have faced each other in two engagements yesterday afternoon, but on account of a slight rain fall only one game was played.

This the locals won 4 to 1, although Willet allowed them only three singles, all of which were scratches. These three safeties, however, were grouped with two steals, a hit batsman, a wild pitch and an error. Detroit made five singles off Warhop, who was invincible at critical times.

The score:

New York	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	*	—4
Detroit	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Batteries: Bair and Warhop; Schmidt and Willet.

CLEVELAND WON

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.—Cleveland defeated Philadelphia yesterday by 5 to 4. The last six innings were played in a drizzling rain which made the ball hard to control.

The score:

Cleveland	0	1	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	—5
Philadelphia	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	—4

Batteries: Upp, Otis, Winchell and Easterly; Coombs, Krause and Lapp.

In the other games Chicago defeated Washington by a score of 8 to 1 while the Boston St. Louis game was postponed owing to the unfavorable weather. A double header is scheduled for today.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Detroit	94	52	[illegible]
Philadelphia	91	54	62.8
Boston	85	60	58.6
Chicago	73	72	[illegible]
New York	69	75	47.9
Cleveland	70	77	47.6
St. Louis	59	84	41.[illegible]
Washington	39	107	26.7

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS

At Boston—Boston-St. Louis game postponed—rain.

At New York—New York 4, Detroit 1. (Other game postponed—rain.)

At Philadelphia—Cleveland 5, Philadelphia 4.

At Washington—Chicago 8, Washington 1.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Pittsburg	105	37	74.3
Chicago	97	46	67.8
New York	86	56	60.6
Cincinnati	73	71	50.7
Philadelphia	67	74	48.3
St. Louis	[illegible]	91	37.9
Brooklyn	[illegible]	93	35.0
Boston	39	102	27.7

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS

At Pittsburg—(First game) Pittsburg 6, New York 1. (Second game) New York 8, Pittsburg 7.

At Cincinnati—(First game) Cincinnati 4, Brooklyn 3. (Second game) Cincinnati 3, Brooklyn 1. (called end of 8th—darkness.)

At Chicago—Chicago 1, Philadelphia 1.

GAMES TODAY

American League

St. Louis at Boston.
Detroit at New York.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Washington.

National League

Boston at St. Louis.
New York at Pittsburg.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.

AMATEUR BASEBALL.

The Dixwells defeated the Dragons in a very exciting game by the score of 8 to 4. This was the second straight game in a series of three games.

The Dixwells batted hard all through the game, getting two home runs and three triples. The work of Wheeler was too much for the Dragons' batters.

A meeting of the City league is asked for Wednesday evening at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. on Hurd street. Every captain and manager is asked to be present. Over 180 boys are entitled to the baseball banquet which is to be served to every registered player in the league, the date of which is to be settled at this meeting.

BOXING GOSSIP.

Ketchel and Johnson have begun hard training for their much talked of fight at Colma on October 12. Ketchel got on the scales Saturday at his quarters and weighed 182 pounds. He said that he intended to "build up" and hoped to weigh a trifle under 180 when he enters the ring. He seemed to be very confident of success and in answer to queries declared that nothing was the matter with his hands. Ketchel's friends believe that he will make a rushing fight from the start, as he believes he will be strong enough and can hit with sufficient power to beat down Johnson's defence and inflict severe punishment. When somebody called Ketchel's attention to Kaufman's poor showing with Johnson the other day he declared that Kaufman was not only a "third rater," but also a "Dutch quitter." "If Kaufman had been a fearless man," continued Ketchel, "he would have mixed so fiercely that Johnson would have backed up under fire. When I tackle the negro there'll be a different kind of game and you'll see him driven to the ropes on the defensive. All I want is one punch. I can knock his head off if I land on the jaw, and I can double him up helpless with a smash in the stomach. Johnson cannot beat me and I'll prove that beyond a doubt in the first three or four rounds." Johnson laughed when he heard of Ketchel's remarks and said:

"Stanley is a nice little fellow with a swelled head. It's a shame to put him out, but I need the green stuff and the long end of the purse. You can bet your money that he will be stopped in less than twelve rounds."

MAKING REPAIRS

ON WALK AT EAST MERRIMACK ST. CANAL BRIDGE

The pathway over the canal bridge in East Merrimack street is going to be safe. Repairs on one side were finished some time ago, and yesterday the Massachusetts company, with the aid of some employes from the Locks and Canals Co., started on the other side, and in a few days both walks will be in fine condition.

GRAND CIRCUIT

T. W. Murphy Lands Two More Winners

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Sept. 28.—T. W. Murphy added two to his list of grand circuit victories yesterday, when, with weather conditions unfit for fast time, he won trots with Inner Guard and Alice Roosevelt.

Inner Guard's victory was an easy one, although Marie N. got the final heat in new record time for her. The finish was close between Geer's mare and Inner Guard. The judges set Inner Guard back to last position as a penalty for changing from the pole to middle track in the stretch.

Alice Roosevelt, like Inner Guard, was favorite for the 2.13 trot. Dulce Jay beat them all in the first two heats, and was thought to have the race won. In the third heat while scoring, he was erratic and broke just after the start. He had to hurry to escape being distanced, and did not do well in either the fourth or the fifth heats.

Iris, driven by Walter Cox, was not bothered in making the 2.18 pace a straight heat affair. Evelyn Patchen, winner of second money, unseated Driver Dick Wilson and ran away for a quarter of a mile. After being caught, she was brought back and was really the only contender Iris had. The summaries:

2.05 class trotting, 3 heats, purse $1200.

Inner Guard, b g, by Guardsman, Murphy ... 1 1 9
Marie N., b m, by Mariengo-King, Geers ... 7 5 1
Kenyon W., blk s, Kenyon ... 2 2 6
Nancy Royce, blk m, McCarthy 4 6 2
Beatrice Bellini, blk m, Dickerson ... 5 3 4
Genteel H., br s, Snow ... 3 4 5
Brace Girdle, b m, McMahon ... 9 7 3
Ruby Clay, b m, Hogan ... 6 8 7
Harry Banning, b g, Burns ... 8 9 8
Judge Lee, g h, Lassell ... dis.

Time—2.10; 2.11¼; 2.08¼.

2.13 class trotting, 3 in 5, purse $1200.

Alice Roosevelt, ch m, by The Searcher, Murphy 3 2 1 1 2
Dulce Jay, ro h, by Jay Bird, Dean ... 1 1 10 4 4
Martha Dillon, b m, by Sidney Dillon, Sanders 4 3 4 2 1
Jeanie Constantine, b m, Grady ... 2 10 2 3 3
Moatell, b h, McMahon ... 10 4 3 ro
Beauty Wright, b m, Chandler ... 5 7 6 ro
Borealis, br m, Turner ... 8 9 5 ro
Lawretta, b m, Crist ... 9 5 9 ro
Robert L., Jr., b g, Stelle 8 6 7 ro
Royal Penn, b h, Ludwig 7 8 8 ro
Ann Direct, blk m, Curtis dis.

Time—2.12¼; 2.10½; 2.12½; 2.12¼; 2.13.

2.18 class pacing, 3 in 5, purse $1200.

Iris, b m, by Island Wilkes, Cox ... 1 1 1
Evelyn Patchen, b m, Wilson ... 11 2 3
Mary Dillon, b m, Sanders ... 2 10 5
Gus B., b g, Patterson ... 7 9 2
Morval, Jr., b s, B. Stokes ... 3 3 8
Hazel B., s m, Benadum ... 10 4 4
Pat Haynes, br g, Sweeney ... 4 7 9
Margaret Frey, b m, Niles ... 5 8 6
Anda H., blk h, Hill ... 9 5 7
Brother Direct, b h, Nuchols ... 6 6 dr
Barney O'Connor, b g, Major ... 8 11 dr
Chaplain Root, b g, McCarthy ... dis.

Time—2.07¾; 2.09½; 2.09.

WAR DECLARED

POSTAL SAVINGS BANK BATTLE IS ON

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—New memberships received by the Postal Savings Bank league since the American Bankers' association declared open war upon the postal savings bank measure, indicate that the crucial fight in congress next winter between the banks against this measure and the people for it will find a formidable membership enlisted, to make organized, united demand for the enactment of the bill. Letters received from both men and women, inquiring how they can aid in the fight, show the public awake to the situation, growing indignant and ready to take up the gauge of battle thrown down by the money power.

In preparation for enrolling for a big public membership, the league headquarters will be removed from the First National bank building to the Rand, McNally building, October 1. Assurances of co-operation and support are pouring in from important newspapers, magazines and other publications, and the centralization of public sentiment is urged by both democratic and republican forces. Campaign literature, speakers and documents are to be used.

In Chicago, both the Tribune, Record-Herald and Examiner have taken up the fight vigorously. The Tribune in an editorial headed "Bankers, a Warning," has pointed out that the American Bankers' association should shrewdly heed the handwriting on the wall, and prepare gracefully to accept the action of congress, inevitable in response to a plain determination by the public; that opposition would breed a whirlwind.

The contention of the American Bankers' association that this governmental stimulus to the thrift of the nation "is uneconomic," has met a very chilly reception. The failure of the association to agree on a substitute provision of any kind has left the obvious need of an auxiliary to the present banking facilities unprovided for by the bankers. Even in the New England states, savings bank facilities are found unequal to the needs of the people who wish to save.

One investigator for the Postal Savings Bank league has reported that he finds Bristol, Me., with a population of 3000 and 10 post offices. The nearest savings bank is twenty miles distant. There are 400 post offices in Maine, but there are 42 savings banks. In the towns and cities which have savings banks there are found to be only 250,000 of the 700,000 inhabitants of the state.

Mayor Edward W. Hooker, of Hartford, has written to the league: "I do not agree with our savings bank officers that a national system of savings will hurt them in the least, but they seem to look at the matter in what to me is a selfish way, and feel that the postal savings bank would hurt their business. I earnestly hope that your efforts will be successful, as I believe the postal bank would be a great benefit to the entire country, and would also be a benefit to this institution."

A bulletin issued by the league over the signature of George H. Currier, chairman of the executive committee and the publisher of "Woman's World," the magazine of the largest circulation in the world, declares: "Not in years has there been an issue before the American people that was so clear cut as this, the people against the banks. We must organize, 'for united we stand, divided we fall' expresses the need in the face of the opposition."

WARDWELL LOST

Republican Leader Defeated by Nason

PEABODY, Sept. 28.—Representative Arthur L. Nason of Haverhill, who won a majority of the delegates to the 4th Essex republican senatorial convention at last Tuesday's caucuses, came here yesterday at the head of his 27 delegates, personally saw to it that there was no slip-up in the program to nominate him for the senate, and then quietly superintended the political interment of J. Otis Wardwell as a candidate for state committeeman, naming J. Franklin Batchelder as Wardwell's successor on the state committee. Batchelder got 27 and Wardwell 17 votes for state committeeman.

The entire job took just an hour, and it was done with an alacrity and dispatch that almost took away the breath of the old-timers in the convention and the corridors of the town hall, where the convention was held.

Wardwell, accompanied by Postmaster Hoyt of Haverhill and W. W. Lufkin, Congressman Gardner's secretary, was on hand, as he said with a childish curiosity, to see the shingle with which he was to receive his spanking.

Nason and his folowers insisted that it was Wardwell's funeral. "Well," said the latter, "if it is, I just want to show Essex county people what a smiling, goodnatured corpse they are burying," and he entered his automobile to return home, after hearing of his defeat for the state committee by Batchelder.

Two of Nason's Haverhill delegates, Ex-Postmaster Pinkham and J. W. Burnham, voted for Wardwell. His other votes came from the friends of Samuel L. Porter of Amesbury and C. H. Goulding of this town, both of whom were candidates for the senatorial nomination in the caucuses.

Wardwell has been a member of the republican state committee for 25 years and was for many years on the executive committee.

NO GRADUATIONS

Somerville School Board Would Abolish Them

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—The recommendation that graduation exercises for the grammar schools of Somerville be abandoned and that all extravagance in dress or unnecessary expenditure by pupils on the occasion of graduation exercises of the high schools be frowned upon, was the report of a special committee made at last evening's meeting of the Somerville school board.

The special committee was appointed last May to consider the matter. At that time and before the appointment of the committee a majority of the members of the board expressed their views, each one taking a stand in opposition to graduation exercises for the grammar schools. Members of the board felt that there were many parents who could ill afford to satisfy the demands of girl graduates, and yet they felt compelled to make the sacrifice for dress, carriage, gloves and flowers in order that their children should suffer no humiliation.

On motion of Dr. Curtis, chairman of the committee, the report was laid on the table for a month in order to give parents an opportunity to express their views on the proposed changes.

U. S. BUNTING CLUB BANQUET

The annual banquet of the U. S. Bunting Cricket and Athletic club will be held at the club house on October 16, and is expected to eclipse anything of the kind in the history of the club.

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"I passed examinations for government situations but was finally rejected at the medical examinations. After three attempts to enlist in the British army I succeeded at last but was discharged on account of my eczema. The disease was confined to face, arms and legs, my face being actually raw at times. I came to America thirteen years ago, but my face became worse, if possible. When in New York City I was advised to go to —— Hospital, whence I was sent to the —— Hospital in Brooklyn. I was put under the care of Professor —— but this also added to the number of unsuccessful attempts. I returned home to England and tried the —— Hospital, Liverpool, the —— Hospital, London, also the world-famed London —— Hospital, but without getting cured. I came back to America five years ago. I had overlooked the Cuticura Remedies dozens of times, but three months ago I decided to give Cuticura a trial and I can safely say I am cured of one of the most torturing skin diseases a man ever had. Richard Curley, New Canaan, Conn., Jan. 10, '09."

"I am familiar with Mr. Curley's case and his cure and believe his statement to be true. John F. Burke, New Canaan, Conn."

Note. — All the names left blank are given in full in Mr. Curley's letter.

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Young Baseball Players In the Limelight This Season

By TOMMY CLARK.

THE day of the young baseball player has arrived. No longer is it necessary for him to sit on a bench for a few months or a whole season soaking up big league knowledge before being allowed to become a regular. No longer need the recruit kotow to the veteran and feel grateful if the star of ten years condescends to speak well of his work. The youngster is here to stay now, and the old timer, the tried and not found wanting veteran, has to hustle to keep his job nowadays.

The young ball player of today seems to know more about the game than the minor league recruit of a few years ago. The youngsters are brainier players than the newcomers of a few years back. This was proved during the present season. In the American league winter dope Washington looked stronger than Philadelphia, New York and Boston for the reason that Cantillon had a team composed of experienced players, while the other three clubs seemed too largely experimental. The youngsters who appear in the Boston, Philadelphia and New York uniforms have weathered the season strong. A few of them have found the pace too strenuous, but the majority are in fast company to stay.

The Pittsburgs owe much of their success this season to youngsters who were picked up last winter and who are now playing their first engagement under the Pirate banner. The success of the team is a tribute to the newcomers with whom Manager Clarke was forced to experiment in the spring.

When the teams lined up for the fight last April the general opinion was that the Pirates would not stand the pace because of the experiments. It was pointed out by many critics that a team with a new first, second and third baseman, besides a changed outfield, could scarcely expect to cope with an aggregation of tried and true veterans, the Chicago Cubs. But the Pittsburg team has stood the gaff. The youngsters proved that they are of the right material.

This has been especially evident in the games against the Cubs and Giants, of which the Pirates have won the big majority.

Bill Abstein had never played a major league game until this season. He was with the Pirates several years ago, but he was turned over to Providence without a trial, Manager Clarke sizing him up as a comer who needed more experience before he would be ripe for big league plucking.

Jack Miller, the second sacker, is a mere boy in years. He has had only a couple of years' experience in any kind of league and never had a trial in fast company until he joined the Pirates last spring. He is one of the marvels of the age.

Chief Wilson is another youngster who has made good for Clarke. Of course he was on the team last year, but early in the season he was not considered good enough for a regular berth. He improved right along, however, and today there is no better outfielder in the business than the husky Texan.

Much of Detroit's showing has been due to the clever work of Bush and Stanage. The Tigers got the latter to help out Schmidt, and he has helped himself to Schmidt's job as first catcher of the league champions. He is surely one of the real finds of the season. Bush has played a sensational game at short since his debut into fast company. Manager Jennings says that in another year he will be the leading short fielder of the league.

Brooklyn has one of the real finds of the season in Third Baseman Eddie Lennox. The latter made good at the start. Besides playing a gilt edged fielding game he has swatted the ball like a Wagner. The club also seems to have another find in George Hunter, a rattling good left handed pitcher, a good hitter, fast base runner and clever fielder—a good all around youngster.

Austin and Demmitt are probably sure of jobs with the New York Americans for some time. Demmitt is a hard and Austin a tricky hitter. The former is a fast outfielder with a great whip, and Austin is a brilliant infielder.

The Boston Americans have quite a number of good young ball tossers—namely, Speaker, Carrigan, Woods, Hooper and Arellanes. Of the five Speaker is the best. He comes near being another Ty Cobb. He is a wonderful fielder, a skilled and daring base runner and a dangerous hitter. Like Cobb, he bats left handed, and he is as much of a kid as Cobb was when he broke in.

In Collins and Krause Philadelphia has two players who have helped make baseball history this year. The former led the American league in batting for a time this season. He is a speedy base runner and a capable third sacker. Krause is the one young pitcher who has attracted the attention of the big leagues this year. He became a big leaguer the moment he put on a uniform. He has had one fluky defeat in twelve games.

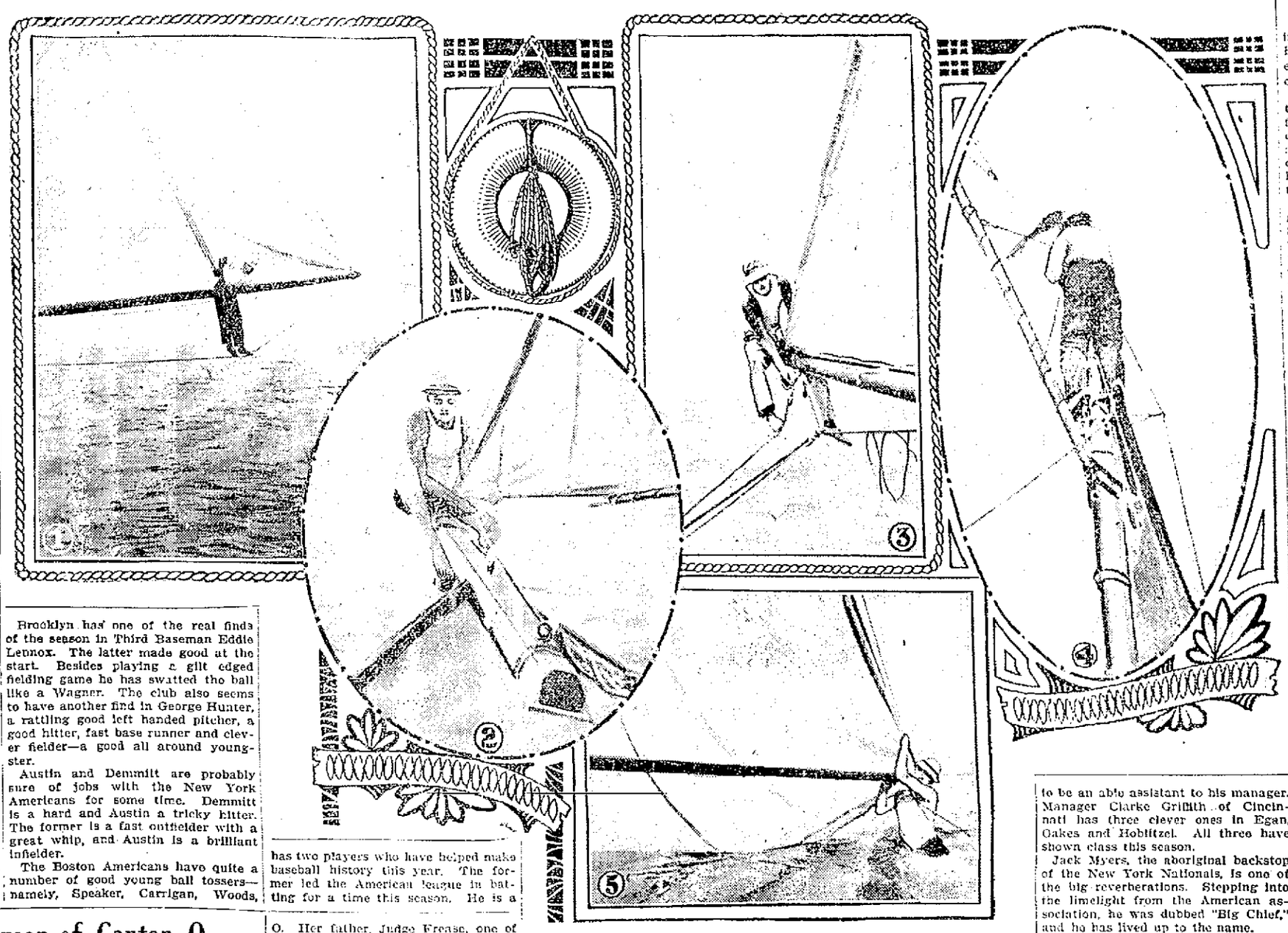
The Chicago Nationals obtained a star in Catcher Archer. He was knocked about the big leagues like a rag doll until the time came when the Cubs had to have a catcher. Kling had joined the "holdouts," and Moran could not do all of it. Detroit and one or two other major league clubs had had Archer, given him only a half try out, because they had good catchers, and turned him back. Chance dropped off the train in Buffalo one day, saw him work and got him.

The Cubs used him regularly because they had to, and he is now rated as one of the best catchers in the league. When Billy Sullivan was made manager of the Chicago Americans he had to get another backstop. And he got Owens. The young catcher has proved to be an able assistant to his manager. Manager Clarke Griffith of Cincinnati has three clever ones in Egan, Oakes and Hoblitzel. All three have shown class this season.

Jack Myers, the aboriginal backstop of the New York Nationals, is one of the big reverberations. Stepping into the limelight from the American association, he was dubbed "Big Chief," and he has lived up to the name.

Snapshots Showing Some of the Dangers of Yacht Racing

In photo No. 1 is shown a yachtsman in a dangerous position out on the spinnaker boom while underway. The temporary nature of the spinnaker boom renders it necessarily unsteady, and a man is likely to be thrown off into the water. No. 2 shows a seaman out on the bowsprit adjusting the jib down haul while the yacht is lunging into a heavy, rushing sea. No. 3 reveals the yachtsman out on the end of the boom, stretching the mainsail out while under way. The swinging of the big spar is a constant menace. No. 4 illustrates the safe mode of standing while aloft to make repairs. No. 5 shows the highly dangerous task of effecting the proper adjustment of a huge, bellying spinnaker while under way. The daring yachtsman, who is L. DeR. Handley, the famous swimmer of the New York Athletic club, has been thrown into the water from the end of the swaying spinnaker boom of the swift racing sloop Crescent, with which he has won many races.



Mrs. Rachel Frease-Green of Canton, O., Who Has Scored In Grand Opera Abroad

The operatic tide has turned. Coal is being carried to Newcastle. American singers are singing in Europe. In Berlin, Vienna, Dresden, Munich, Paris and London opera houses resound with music from American throats.

One of the most notable successes achieved by operatic aspirants in recent years is that of a young American singer, Rachel Frease-Green, who has been engaged to appear in Berlin during the coming season in the roles of Elvira in "Ernani," Martha in "Martha," Endora in "La Juive," the queen in "Zauberflote," Rosinae in "Barbiere de Seviglia," Elvira in "Don Giovanni," Violetta in "Traviata," Gilda in "Rigoletto," the queen in "Les Huguenots" and Mathilde in "William Tell."

Mrs. Frease-Green made her debut at Covent Garden, London, last winter as Sieglinde in "The Valkyrie" and as Eva in "The Meistersinger." The London critics looked with doubt on the advisability of intrusting such important roles to a "beginner," but were roused to a unanimous and unwonted enthusiasm by Mrs. Frease-Green's performances, characterizing them as the most auspicious and promising debut ever made at Covent Garden and heartily confirming the good judgment and discernment of the operatic management and of the conductor, Dr. Hans Richter.

Although Mrs. Frease-Green's pronounced success at Covent Garden was made in Wagnerian roles, critics say that her voice has even greater possibilities in coloratura roles, and it is in the latter that she will sing in Berlin.

Mrs. Frease-Green is from Canton, O. Her father, Judge Frease, one of the pioneers of the Ohio bar when he went on the bench, was succeeded by William McKinley, then a struggling young lawyer, as law partner of Judge George W. Belden, Mrs. Green's maternal grandfather. Mrs. Green was one of the young folks by whom the president and his wife liked to be surrounded, and in the informal little gatherings which made up much of the social life of the president and his wife she was frequently called upon by them to sing and encouraged to give free rein to her singing ambitions. The last occasion was just a few days before the Buffalo tragedy, when President McKinley prophesied flatteringly for the young singer's future and earnestly advised for her a musical career. Two weeks later she sang at his funeral service and six years afterward at the funeral of Mrs. McKinley.

For several years Mrs. Frease-Green was church and concert soloist in New York, Pittsburg and Cleveland. She has studied chiefly with Jean de Reszke in Paris, who had her sing for Adelina Patti and with Marchesi.

Hawkshaw, the Detective, Invades the Stage In New Clothes and Settings.

[From Our New York Dramatic Correspondent.]

THE stage sleuth has come into new prominence on the American stage. The latter day prototypes of the famous Hawkshaw, the detective, and of Sherlock Holmes and all the various "mysterious misters" are in some particulars equally fascinating and illuminative.

Hattie Williams began the new stage detective era by appearing at the Garrick theater in "Detective Sparkes," an original comedy by Michael Morton. Then followed "Arsene Lupin" at the Lyceum theater, a dramatization of the French detective story of the same title, by Francis de Croissett and Maurice Le Blanc, which ran more than a year in Paris.

The scheme of "Detective Sparkes" opens with a scandal in London society. The newspapers of England are filled with an extraordinary balloon mystery. A lady and gentleman, suspected to be members of England's best set, have been wrecked while ballooning. The owner of the balloon is known to be Jack Lawton, but whether he occupied the balloon when it was wrecked and the identity of the female occupant are unknown. The disappearance of the passengers of the wrecked balloon has the kingdom in a hubbub. Newspapers offer a reward for the identity and location of the occupants, and reporters, Scotland Yard men and sleuths, amateur and professional, scour the country for a clew to the mystery, but the nearest any one can come to solving the difficulty is the finding of a brooch in the basket of the balloon.

The brooch is of a unique design, such as no jeweler in London can match, and the location of its owner is sure to disclose the identity of the woman who occupied the balloon.

Mysterious Detective Sparkes.

Coincident with the finding of the brooch Lord Axminster, an old fashioned member of the nobility who has wed an American girl, receives word that an attempt will be made to rob the Towers, his ancestral place, of his wonderfully rare collection of miniatures. Word is sent to him apparently by the chief of the county police, Colonel Morley, that the colonel must perforce take a trip to the continent, and meanwhile he has put the Towers under the protection of Detective Sparkes, a mysterious catcher of thieves, whose abilities are recommended as nothing short of marvelous. Lord Axminster gathers a company of friends at the Towers, and all await the arrival of the skillful Sparkes. The latter not putting in an appearance, his lordship and friends retire for the night, putting two of his lordship's huskiest men servants on guard, armed.

The household is soon awakened by the report of a pistol and, scurrying below stairs, finds the servants in dumb panic and a bagful of the precious miniatures gone. Athole Forbes, Axminster's American sister-in-law, is the only one able to throw any light on the midnight raid of the Towers and the loss of the miniatures. She talks of encountering a party of strangers in the dimly lighted house, of an attempt to strangle her, of the servants firing and of the appearance of a stranger who announced himself as Detective Sparkes.

Two Mysteries Combined.

Detective Sparkes, she declares, has gone in pursuit of the thieves. The whole household follows. The path leads to the Grand hotel, Birchampton. Here the mystery of the catastrophe to the balloon and the disappearance of its occupants becomes involved in the fresher mystery of the robbery of Axminster's miniatures and the odd appearance and flight of Detective Sparkes. Newspaper men are on guard in the hotel, watching a room which they have good reason to believe is tenanted by the man and woman who were in the balloon. Just as the newspaper men are about to bag their quarry the guests and owner of the Towers begin to put in an appearance. Colonel Morley, summoned from a banquet at the hotel, denies any knowledge of Detective Sparkes and disclaims having telephoned any warning to Lord Axminster about the contemplated raid on the latter's miniatures.

While Lord Axminster is arguing with the colonel and refusing to entertain his disclaimer about Detective Sparkes the occupants of the watched room get away, and newspaper reporters, Axminster and the county police start pellmell in pursuit. To catch Detective Sparkes seems now the thing. The police are sure that Sparkes is no other than "the prince," a notorious and clever crook who enters the best houses in the land as a guest and who robs them as his entertainers sleep.

Every one is sure that not only did "the prince" enter the Axminster house as Sparkes, but that it was he who occupied the balloon with the unknown lady. The chase leads back to the Towers. Here Athole Forbes, with Yankee wit, unties the vexing knot. All through the process of solving the exciting riddle has run a love story between Athole Forbes and Fred Coleridge, the friend of the balloon owner.

"Arsene Lupin."

"Arsene Lupin" is a melodrama of the old school. A note of dastardly direfulness and of mysteriously mysterious mystery sounds throughout. False clews abound, and genuine thrills are not wanting.

There are moments when Arsene Lupin, if he is really as clever a thief as his pursuers believe him to be, blunders for the sake of taking the audience into his confidence, and, unlike Raffles, he works not alone, but as the leader of a gang.

Every one learns that Arsene Lupin masquerades as the Duke of Charmerace, although he is a felon who steals not for the excitement of the game, but for the value of the plunder. His depredations in the house of the plebeian art fancier, Gournay-Martin, are made easy by his connection with the latter as the affianced husband of Germaine Gournay-Martin, and the peculiar feature of his raids is that he is in the habit of warning his victim of the exact hour of his plundering visits.

Lupin a Polished Thief.

Of course Lupin is above suspicion in the eyes of his sweetheart's family. He is polished, suave and frank and in every detail of deportment the aristocrat he pretends to be.

The theft of some of Gournay-Martin's priceless pictures and tapestries first puts the famous detective, Guerchard, on his scent, and when he sends a notification that he will return a few days later for a diamond tiara which he had previously overlooked he and the detective are brought face to face.

One after another members of his gang fall under suspicion, among them Sonia, the Russian maid of Germaine, with whom he is in love and around whom the only romance of the play is woven. Then, by a series of deductions which in truth do not greatly distinguish Guerchard as the keen sleuth he is reputed to be, the toils begin to tighten around the great criminal.

Lupin's Unplayed Card.

Arsene Lupin, however, still holds an unplayed trump. As the detectives are about to lead him to prison he grabs a bomb, which afterward proves to be only a rubber ball, and threatens to blow himself and them into eternity. Then he dashes into a concealed elevator, to emerge a moment later in the disguise of the detective, and while Guerchard is being carried to the roof his victim pauses for a final love scene with Sonia and a promise to turn over a new leaf and makes his way to the street.

The play affords in the characters of Lupin and Guerchard two parts as "fat" as the most requiring actors could wish. William Courtenay, who impersonated the former, made excellent headway in it. More skillful, however, was Sidney Herbert's impersonation of Guerchard, which in every respect was an admirable exhibition of acting.

The best feminine role of Sonia was not laden with many opportunities for Miss Doris Keane.

FREDERICK TREGELLES.

VAGARIES OF THE ONE NIGHTERS

Nicholas Burnham, who plays one of the drummers in "The Traveling Salesman," referred to as "boots and shoes" because he is supposed to travel for a shoe house, has in his time played a great number of one night stands.

"When the troupe plays to a poor house in a one night stand one of the natives is sure to inform you that 'if you'll come back you'll have a good house.' There are different reasons given for the poor attendance. 'You ought to have been here on pay day,' or 'The fire laddies had a ball last night,' or this: 'The last show was bum, and the folks got disgusted,' etc.

"In a small town out west some years ago there was no mail delivery, and everybody had to go to the post-office for the mail. We played there to a very poor house, but the landlord of the hotel told us after the show that everybody was just crazy to see the performance, but unfortunately the mail was late."

HATTIE WILLIAMS, STARRING IN "DETECTIVE SPARKES."

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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

THE PAVING OF MERRIMACK STREET.

The paving of Merrimack street is progressing rapidly and it is improbable that the work will be completed before the frost arrives. The most difficult part of the job and the most important is the paving of Merrimack square. That should be paved with heavier blocks than the four-inch quality as it has heavier traffic and is more cut up by car tracks.

THE LATE EX-MAYOR PALMER.

The late ex-Mayor Palmer was one of the most popular mayors Lowell has had in the last twenty-five years. Probably no other man ever occupied the mayor's chair who knew so many people and was so generally popular. He gave the city an excellent administration of its affairs during the three years of his incumbency, and his appointment of the city hall commission alone marked him as a man of excellent business judgment. That commission was by far the best ever chosen to perform any municipal task in Lowell, and the economy, skill and taste shown in the work of building the new city hall and Memorial building prove that fact. Of late years Mr. Palmer gave all his attention to the work of the state board of arbitration and conciliation in which his influence was always exerted in behalf of industrial peace on a basis of justice between the contending parties.

THE STATEMENT OF MR. HEINZE.

Everybody must regret the experience of Mr. Heinze in the automobile races, particularly so because his complaint in regard to a lack of public spirit in certain quarters seems to be true. He declares that he will never again embark in a movement to promote auto races in this city for the reason that he finds a lack of public spirit and a very general desire "to knock" and to block, to croak and complain; to whine and to pine with never a stop till the man on the top they have hurled right down again.

Unfortunately this spirit is rife in Lowell. It is partly due to jealousy against the men who have earned success, but it is in a measure due also to the pessimistic and fault-finding spirit shown by men who do nothing themselves but who are always ready to criticize the men who do things. Mr. Heinze gave his time to the auto races and if he put in a bill for the same we surmise that he would only be doing what others have done who worked no harder than he.

OPTIMISM IN LAWRENCE.

Judging from the reports we hear from Lawrence that city is booming to a greater extent than ever before. The people of Lawrence have got it into their heads that the city has a great future before it, that it is destined to outstrip Lowell, Worcester and even Boston. Talk about optimism. Lawrence is being inflated with it just as a balloon is inflated with hot air or illuminating gas. It will do no harm, of course, to let the people of Lawrence indulge their little pastime and voice their hobby of the moment; yet we are not prepared to believe that the city will cast off the slough of despond and branch out into a first class, progressive and enterprising New England city. Lawrence is of the opinion that a great big mill will put it on a par with Lowell. It is not numbers, it is not population, that makes a great city; no, it is the character, enterprise and energy of the population that counts. If a big mill attracts the right kind of people it will benefit a city; if the wrong kind, it will injure the city.

But whether the optimism of Lawrence residents be justified by facts, whether the hope of future growth be realized or not, this optimism is a good thing; and we should have more of it in Lowell, for here it is fully justified, not by the accession of any big mill but by a lot of industries doing a prosperous and steady business with every prospect of abundant success in the future. Lowell is not boasting much about her prospects, but yet she has enough to justify the best reports, the highest hopes of future success and of a career that will leave Lawrence far behind in the race. We approve the Lawrence method of booming the city and we say to every Lowell resident boom your own city. It may do good and can do no harm.

THE PAY-AS-YOU-ENTER IDEA

An agitation is being conducted in some quarters to have passengers pay their fare when getting upon the car. The movement seems to have started in Springfield and is said to have several advantages over present methods, among these being that it will afford the conductor more time to look after the comfort of passengers; it will save him from carrying around a pocketful of nickels and it will enable the passengers to cooperate with the company in preventing "knocking down."

We do not believe in any such system, at least for Lowell. When large crowds board a car all at the same time it would cause delay to wait for each to deposit a fare in a slot machine. This delay would injure the service. Besides, the idea that it would prevent dishonesty is all wrong. Passengers might keep a dishonest game just as readily as to hinder it. Moreover, we do not see that when the conductor has no fares to collect he devotes his time to looking after the comfort of the passengers. Some of course do, but the majority do not. Like every other [illegible] conductors differ in these respects [illegible] being courteous, obliging, polite and attentive to women passengers, while others are gruff, ugly, ill-tempered and "saucy" in their replies to ordinary inquiries.

It would take the public quite a while to conform to the new rule. The company in Lowell has been trying to have passengers leave by the front door and enter by the rear, but not more than half the passengers seem to have ever heard of such a rule.

The safety of the passengers or the prevention of accidents is a matter of the greatest importance to all passengers and all railway companies. The new rule would hold up cars at transfer stations, the larger the crowd the longer the wait, so that it would be difficult to keep on schedule time and accidents might result. The present method we believe to serve all purposes best. As for knocking down, we believe that there is little or none of it in any city [illegible] because the companies have such perfect [illegible] that the man who starts to put the company's money in his pocket will soon be caught; he may not know for what but it may be for taking more than a single fare.

The company that pays its men good wages will get conductors who think too much of their reputation to risk their position and their good name in trying to keep a few nickels that don't belong to them.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

The Whiteside-Strauss repertoire company opened a four days' engagement at the Opera House last evening, presenting as a first night's attraction the up-to-date melodrama, "His Sister's Sin." Despite the inclement weather the audience was fair sized and thoroughly enjoyed the performance which was given by a competent company. Most of the members of the company are new to Lowell and their work was appreciated by the audience. Will H. Strauss, the comedian, was particularly pleasing. The play, although a melodrama and heavy in parts, admitted of much good comedy. The cast was as follows:

Jim Drake, the boy....Will H. Strauss
Richard Maynard, his enemy, Jack Whiteside
Lewis Drake, his brother...Cecil Engrin
Bob Sinclair, his friend....Karl Magse
Silas Drake, his father....Henry Lynn
Allie Drake, his sister....Louis Willard
Betty Belmont, his sweetheart, Bessie Johnson
Kate Drake, his mother's wife, Lola Vinal
Susanne Henry, his aunt, Marie LeClair

There were no waits, for between the acts a fine vaudeville bill was presented. It included The Johnson Sisters, in singing and dancing; the Musical Lockwoods, high class instrumentalists; Miss LeClair, in character songs; Miss Maude Clements, in songs and dances; Bardette brothers, comedy acrobats; Will H. Strauss, comedian, and Dewey in a variety of offerings.

This afternoon's play is the romantic melodrama, "A Daughter of the South." This evening the attraction will be "The Cowboy Millionaire."

"THE TRAVELING SALESMAN."

Elizabeth Mason, of the Traveling Salesman company, had an amusing experience the other day. While standing in the lobby of a theatre where her company was to play that evening she noticed a group of young women who were evidently deeply interested in the framed photos of "The Traveling Salesman" company. Naturally curious she drew near to hear an unbiased opinion, only to meet the fate of "listeners who never hear any good of themselves." "My, but that old woman must be a crank; did you ever see such a pickled mouth" "Her face would curdle sweet milk" were two of the encomiums passed upon Mrs. Babbitt. Little did the gentle critics dream that the original was standing within a few inches and while Miss Mason accepted the tribute to her successful make-up, she rather winced at a diagnosis so foreign to her nature.

Bob Blake and Beth Elliott in "The Traveling Salesman."

"THE GAY HUSSARS."

Under his management at the present time Mr. Henry W. Savage is offering to American playgoers the three biggest light operatic successes in the world. They include "The Merry Widow," "The Love Cure," and "The Gay Hussars." Two companies are playing "The Merry Widow" on tour; "The Love Cure" is playing in New York and "The Gay Hussars" will be seen here at the Opera House, Monday, Oct. 4. Mr. Savage is organizing in New York another "The Gay Hussars" company, which opens its season in December. The organization which will be seen here is the same that enjoyed the all summer run in New York.

ROSE STAHL.

Although Rose Stahl has played the role of Patricia O'Brien in James Forbes' comedy, "The Chorus Lady," something like 2,500 times since she made her first vaudeville appearance, when this play was a twenty-minute sketch, she insists that the character never has become tiresome to her and that she is fully as much interested in the slangy, worldly wise chorus girl as she was the first time she assumed the character. "I sometimes feel as though Patricia and I are one and the same person," she says. Local playgoers will have an opportunity to see Miss Stahl in this part at the Opera House soon.

"THE CANDY SHOP" COMING.

Contracts have been signed for the appearance here at the Opera House soon of Manager Charles Dillingham's big musical production, "The Candy Shop." Comedian Frank Lalor of "Coming Thro' the Rye" fame is featured with the company.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

A very interesting little story is told in a bit of drama at Hathaway's theatre, this week. It is a production from the pen of Edmund Day and anything Day writes must have a little class. "On Stony Ground" is the name of the sketch and it certainly is a winner. There are a whole lot of little spots in it that captures one's feelings and carries one along to the very end. The New York bowery has been the scene of many a tragedy and things dramatic both in life and story and the fellow who uses the bowery these days for a foundation to his sketch is taking great chances, for the bowery has been almost worked to death in this line. Day, however, has used the bowery and has come out with flying colors.

The story is simple but convincingly true to life. There's a bowery lass whose environments do not permit of an improvement of the mind. She is a waitress in a restaurant and, at times, has served as model for a magazine illustrator. The artist is very kind to her and solicitous in a brotherly way for her future. Strangers have never passed out any such kindness to the bowery girl and she mistakes its meaning. She thinks the artist is in love with her. Anyhow the artists gets hitched and he takes his wife to a restaurant where his model is a waitress. Now this same little bowery model has a very beautiful sister somewhere. She was adopted, when a little girl, by a very wealthy family while the little model, who was not so fair of face, was allowed to remain in the unfortunate environments of her birth. Well, to make a long story short, the wife of the artist proves to be the beautiful sister of the model-waitress. The ending is good. There is another affaire d'amour in the piece, in which a young fellow who has just finished his apprenticeship as a plumber, figures. He is madly in love with the waitress and tells her so and she finally decides that, everything considered, a plumber would be a handy man about the house even though he couldn't pipe his way to the upper ten.

Miss Williams acts the role of "Maggie," the waitress in "The Fried Egg," excellently. J. Morris Foster was fairly good as the artist. Malvina Arment, as the pretty sister in the story, was very fetching, and James Craze, as the plumber, gave a good touch to the character.

"The Piano Four" are very good. There's a dash to their offering that's not met with elsewhere. "The Piano Four" consists of Jane Boynton, Lotta Burnelle, Frances Ellison and Charles Clear. They play the piano, sing and dance and do all cleverly. There's snap and a twist to their performance that is positively refreshing. These four were members of the "Pianophiends" company that made so good throughout the country last season.

Chick Sale "in a school program is brimful of tickles and they're catching. Sale is a clever young man and seven distinct characters were given by him, from the teacher in the "district" school, through "Percy Good," who gave a recitation; "Edna Carl," who sang "Willie Swift," who "spoke a piece;" "May Spring," who gave another recitation; "Prof. Peraiker, of the school board, who dilated on conditions, and "Mr. Perkins," who talked to the children about the "ancient [illegible]." Sale was truth itself in portraying the various types.

J. F. Roy and Fred Nise in the comedy and dancing skit, "My Friend from Home," received some wholesome [illegible] quiet [illegible] by Fred and [illegible] friends here, were [illegible] and W[illegible] and Edith Hart danced and sang. The show closed with some acrobatic didoes that were mirthful, Rosaire and Doretto supplying them. The motion pictures were new. Altogether it is the best bill yet offered this season.

Performances will be given every afternoon and evening throughout the remainder of the week, with special seats at the matinees for women.

STAR THEATRE

Amateurs who are classy will be seen at the Star theatre tonight, and it is expected that the show will surpass all other Tuesday evening performances on record at this popular amusement house.

A somersault over six chairs and a table is a feature of a very funny act by Rhodes and Adams.

Mlle. Eugenie Tessier, Lowell's celebrated blind singer, opened a permanent engagement at this theatre and with Babe Curry will sing beautifully illustrated songs.

THEATRE VOYONS

Yesterday the Theatre Voyons again showed its enterprise in presenting its patrons with the first showing of the motion pictures of the naval parade of last Saturday held in New York in connection with the Hudson-Fulton celebration. Today there was added to the program motion pictures showing the reception of Dr. Cook in New York. Besides these features there is shown Pathe's film D'art "The Tower of Basle," one of the highest class dramatic productions of the year.

TEXTILE SCHOOL

Freshmen Were Initiated Last Night

There was something doing at the corner of Pawtucket and School streets last night when a number of Textile sophomores turned out to initiate the freshies. Last year at this time the sophs were the newcomers and they got theirs good and hard but the only consolation that the freshie has while going through the stunts is that the following year he will be able to do to others as has been done to him.

The heavy downpour of rain did not affect the festivities in the least, for the harder it poured the more uncomfortable it was for the young men who were being put through the degrees.

Shortly after seven o'clock the second year men with a number of freshies in tow arrived and the latter were compelled to turn their coats inside out, roll their trousers up to their knees and disarrange their wearing apparel in various other ways. Then they were taken separately and each one was made to sing a song, give a speech and give his preparatory school yell. This was but a small part of the antics gone through before the ceremony closed.

ORDER OF OWLS

Frank M. Merrill Organized a Branch

Worcester nest, Order of Owls, was instituted last night in Arcanum hall, that city, by Deputy Supreme President Frank Lombard, Hartford, who was assisted by Deputy Supreme Organizer Frank M. Merrill, Lowell; Organizer Harry W. Jones, Hartford, who served as past supreme president, and J. P. Harrison, Hartford, supreme vice-president.

The officers were installed by the supreme officers.

It was decided to have sick benefits of $7 a week for 13 weeks and $3.50 a week for the next 13 weeks. The death benefit will be $100. Medical services and medicine will be free to members.

The supreme trustees have decided that after the order's membership reaches [illegible], each nest will be invited to enter into an arrangement for the establishment of a mortuary fund. Each nest will be assessed an extra per capita tax of 1 per cent and will at the same time send a list of members in good standing. When a death occurs among those for whom the tax has been paid, the whole of the fund derived from the tax will be paid to the beneficiary and another levy of the tax will be made.

A nest is being organized in this city by Frank M. Merrill.

Saturday, October 2, 1909, is "quarter day" at the Lowell Five Cent Savings bank. Open an account. Deposit now.

LYNCH AND CARR

To Box Here for Featherweight Championship

The featherweight championship of New England will be decided in this city on Thursday evening when Johnny Lynch of South Boston and Eddie Carr of Chelsea, the leading 122 pound rivals of the squared circle, will don the gloves in a 12-round contest before the members of the Gladstone Athletic club in Associate hall. The winner will be met with several challenges from other aspirants to the championship title. It is agreed among the sporting writers of Boston, and the boxing experts generally that Lynch and Carr are the two logical and most likely aspirants and hence the unusual importance of their match. Both are training faithfully and will be in perfect condition for their bout on Thursday evening. A large delegation of Boston sports will follow them to Lowell to witness the match. The club also showed good judgment in the selection of the preliminaries, for three good bouts have been arranged. The semi-final will be of eight rounds between Jack O'Heir of Centralville and Joe Nelson of Lawrence, two ambitious 140 pound boxers who can be depended upon to make good. Young Sullivan, a most promising featherweight of this city, will go six rounds against young O'Brien of Lawrence, while young Donnelly, also a featherweight, will tackle young Mack of the Spindle City. The meeting will be open to genuine members only and non-members will be barred. In the future the meetings will be semi-monthly and it is the intention of the club to present all first-class attractions and in all cases conform strictly to the provisions of the law, admitting none but genuine members.

THE SOCIALISTS

Nominated Daniel A. White for Governor

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—The state convention of the socialist party of Massachusetts was held in Payne Memorial hall late yesterday, Ambrose Miles of Lynn being chosen permanent chairman.

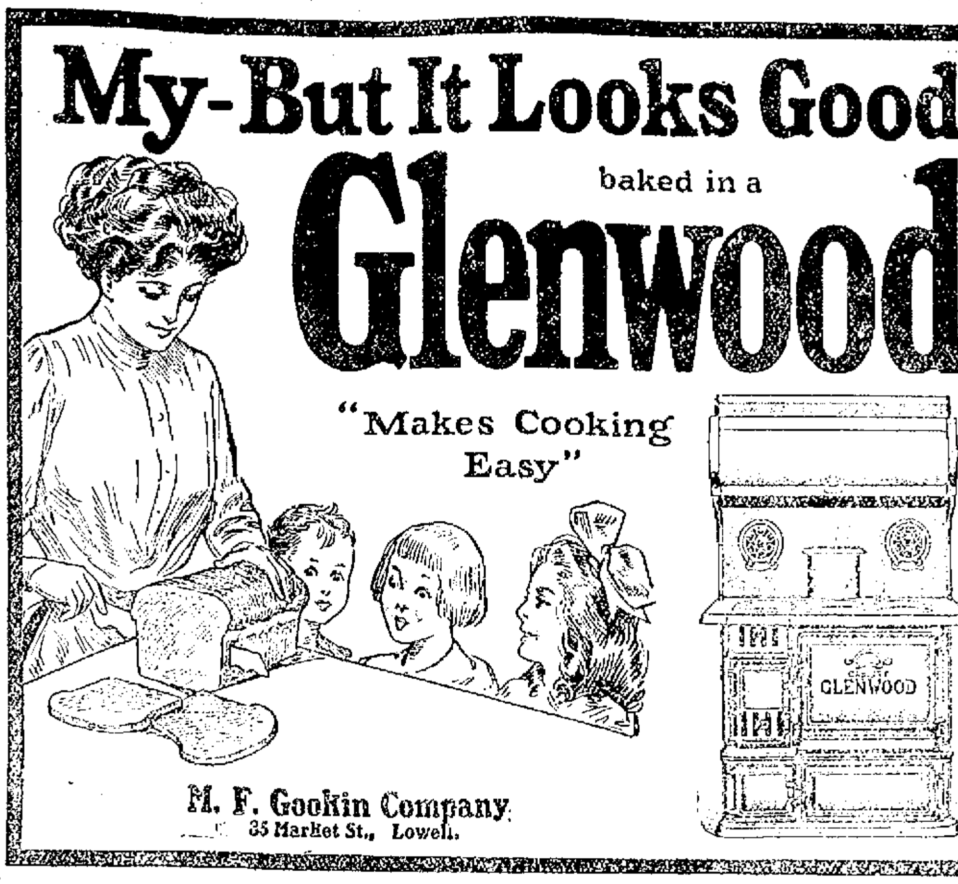
The following state ticket was nominated:

For governor—Daniel A. White, Brockton; for lieutenant governor—George G. Hall, Boston; for secretary of state—Harriet D'Orsay, Lynn; for treasurer—James F. Carr, Chelmsford; for auditor—Sylvester J. McBride, Watertown; for attorney general—John Weaver Sherman, Boston.

COTTON FUTURES

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Cotton futures opened steady. Sept. 13.05 bid; Oct. 13.10; Nov. —; Dec. 13.13; Jan. 13.10; Feb. —; March 13.19; April —; May 13.21; July 13.15.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.



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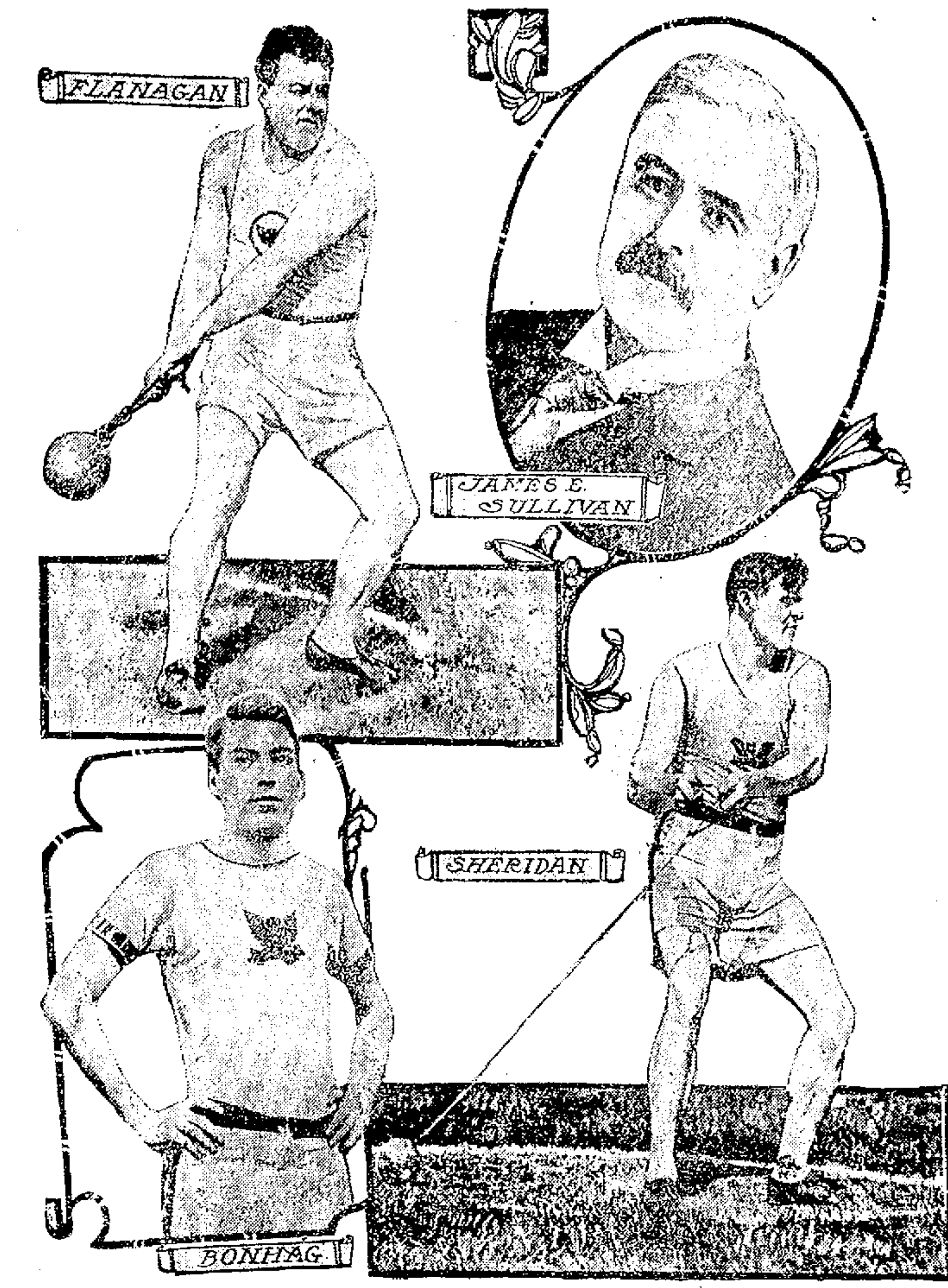

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—With the national championships to be held Oct. 4 and 5 in New York the indoor season of 1909-10 begins. Heretofore this epoch in amateur athletics was usually held later in the season, and the fact that it has been placed at an early date makes it the big harbinger of the season. The feature of these championships will be the 600 and 1000 yard races. Sheppard, Lunghi, Kiviat, Hillman and Gissing will start in these events, and it is a toss up as to who will win. The burst of speed with which Sheppard finished the half mile recently at the senior metropolitan championships shows that he is returning to his old time form. Gissing is a dangerous man at any time, and the New York Athletic club followers are depending on him to win the 1000 yard event. Lunghi is a marvel at any distance from 600 to 1000 yards, and many claim he can smash all the records between these two distances. Hillman, when trained for a 600 yard race has never yet met his equal. Kiviat is a wonder for his age. Although only a schoolboy, he has already traveled close to record time on several occasions. He is a most consistent performer, and a good race is always assured when he starts. These five men are undoubtedly the fastest in the world today in their class, and it will be many a day before such a select field faces the start. In the two mile race George Bonhag, the record holder, will toe the mark with Wilson, the English champion; Sullivan, Daly, Collins, Bellars, Bailey and other well known distance men. Bonhag has been resting up all summer, but is in training for these games, and if he reaches the form he was in last winter he will surely be the champion. The foremost weight tossers of the world will be on hand, and some great competition will be seen when Sheridan, Flanagan, Macdonald, Horr, Elliott and Meyer of the Irish club, Lawrence, Dearborn, McGrath and Gillis, New York Athletic club; W. W. Coe, Boston A. A., and other well known weight men get together. Lawrence of the New York Athletic club and Elliott, Irish American Athletic club, are probably the two youngest weight throwers of championship caliber in America, but they are pretty sure of being placed in the events in which they compete. Following is a list of events scheduled to be held: Seventy-five yard run, 300 yard run, 1000 yard run, two mile run, 220 yard hurdle (ten flights, three feet six inches), standing broad jump, running hop, step and jump, throwing fifty-six pound weight for height, putting eight pound shot, pole vault for distance, running high jump and one mile walk. Mr. James E. Sullivan, president of the Amateur Athletic union, and other officials, desiring to co-operate with the Hudson-Fulton celebration commission, have arranged to have the monster championship athletic carnival known as the official Hudson-Fulton celebration athletic meeting.

PEARY MAKES REPLY

To the Statements Given Out by Explorer Cook

BAR HARBOR, Me., Sept. 28.—Commander Robert E. Peary, accompanied by his wife, reached here last night from Portland and within half an hour of his arrival was in conference with General Thomas H. Hubbard, president of the Peary Arctic Club, concerning the statement which will shortly be made public by Commander Peary to support his contention that Dr. Frederick A. Cook did not reach the pole. The two were still in conference late last night at General Hubbard's summer home, where the explorer was a guest.

The consultation will be continued today, and late in the day Commander Peary will probably return to his home at Eagle Island. It is generally believed that he and General Hubbard will go to New York together.

During the trip to Bar Harbor, Mr. Peary spoke frequently of Harry Whitney. "There might have been some strange reasons why Whitney did not go back to Etah in the Jeanie for Dr. Cook's stuff," he said. "I cannot understand how anyone could let such records get out of his hand. I would not give my records to my dearest relative. I say again I do not see how Cook could have turned his stuff over to Whitney or anybody else. I secured my instruments in a bag and the flag which I took to the pole I sewed in my clothes and wore until I reached Battle Harbor.

"I kept my records under watch day and night and I was prepared in case the Roosevelt was crushed in the ice to throw them overboard so that they could float in their cases. Can you imagine my giving up those records to a perfect stranger? Harry Whitney did not tell me what was in Dr. Cook's stuff except six fox skins and some other trophies. I cannot see why I should have carried the stuff when Cook could have taken it. If Dr. Cook's stuff was of such importance why did not Whitney go back in the Jeanie and get it?

"I saw Dr. Cook's sledge at Etah and looked it over carefully, while Prof. McMillan held up Cook's snow shoes and showed them to me. But I did not examine the snow shoes carefully."

Reverting to Dr. Cook's things, he continued:

"I imagine Dr. Cook's stuff was made up of superfluous instruments. After Whitney had put the stuff ashore I told the Eskimos to leave it alone.

"On my return from the pole I saw all the Eskimos and talked with them. After what I heard I would not credit Cook's claims. The letter that told me that Dr. Cook had claimed the pole was from a whaler named Captain Adams and not Walker as has been stated. The letter was dated June 17 and I received it at Cape York."

"What proof will you require of an explorer that he had been far north?" Peary was asked.

"That if a man went to the highest point that had been reached before, he should bring back the records he found there," said Commander Peary.

"You will note that Cook's route to the pole was 107 miles longer each way than mine. The people can make their own deductions whether Dr. Cook, with his equipment, could have made such a journey.

"Dr. Cook claims he went from latitude 78½ to 90 degrees and back to 78 degrees, altogether just 24½. Then think that the best previous record made by any explorer was a total of 11 degrees.

"I cannot say whether the extra 107 miles each way that Cook says he traveled would have kept me away from the pole or not. It might and it might not have, the difficulty in Arctic travel, as you proceed north, increases not in arithmetical but in geometrical progression."

EXPLORER COOK

REPLIES TO CHARGES MADE BY PEARY

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Dr. Cook consented last night to give the Associated Press a formal reply to some of the most material of the charges brought against him by Commander Peary. A more complete declaration will be issued by the explorer when Commander Peary makes his accusations over his own signature. In his statement, Dr. Cook says:

"Commander Peary says that my sledges were not fitted to Arctic travel, and that he would not care to voyage in the Arctic with them. The only sledge Commander Peary saw was half a one, which I had given to Mr. Whitney as a souvenir. The remainder of it had been used to make bows and arrows.

"As to my reasons for leaving my instruments with Mr. Whitney, he had told me that the Erie was coming to Etah and would take him over to the American side to hunt big game and would come back later to Annatok. The distance from Annatok to Upernavik by the route which I was compelled to follow was nearly 700 miles. In that journey I had to travel over high land in two places, with glaciers and difficult places to negotiate. The ice was extremely rough and there was a good deal of water to be expected that would have subjected the instruments to a risk which was entirely unnecessary when Mr. Whitney awaited a ship to go to Etah for him, upon which he expected to return direct to America.

"By going to Upernavik I hoped to get back by the end of July or the middle of August. I wanted to see my family as soon as possible, as I had been separated from them for over two years, while Mr. Whitney did not expect to get back before October.

"As to the charge that I had not found traces of Commander Peary's record at Cape Thomas Hubbard, the point which Commander Peary would call Cape Thomas Hubbard, is a rounded promontory, and it would be difficult to find any distinct point which could be positively recognized as Cape Thomas Hubbard. From Commander Peary's map I am absolutely unable to locate Cape Thomas Hubbard. We did not search for any cairn where records might be deposited. In fact I did not know that Commander Peary had left any records there.

"Considerably to the west I did see a rock which might have been a cache, but it might have been merely a clump of rocks. I was at a very long distance from it and there was no reason why I should have searched. I left a cache of provisions close to the beginning of the cliffs of what Sverdrup puts down as Svartevoeg. There is no indication near where we left our provisions."

ASSAULT CHARGE

LAWRENCE, Sept. 28.—Tony Caruso, a 17-year-old Italian boy, was sentenced to the Concord reformatory yesterday on the charge of assault on another boy, Dominico Terresi. The latter received a severe gash in the abdomen, which Dr. Cutter said required about 100 stitches to close. For a time it was feared the injury would prove fatal.

The assault was committed Sept. 4, the defendant and another boy having quarreled, the latter endeavoring to strike him with a pocket knife. The Terresi had endeavored to act as peacemaker and received the blow intended for another.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Martha A. Neal, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Susie L. D. Watson, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the nineteenth day of October A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Oscar W. Ereckson, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased:

Whereas, C. Edward Pihl, administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition praying the Court to determine the amount of money which he may pay for the burial lot, monument and the perpetual care of said lot in which the body of said deceased is buried, and to whom the same shall be paid:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the twenty-ninth day of September A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

J. Joseph O'Connor, Atty.

PAIGE ST. CHURCH

Calls Rev. B. R. Harris From Bradford, N. H.

Rev. B. R. Harris, of Bradford, N. H. has accepted a call from this city to become the pastor of the Paige Street Free Baptist church, and will take up his duties in this city on October 17.

The following letter was read Sunday at the Paige Street church:

To the Members of the First Free Baptist Church, Lowell, Mass.:

Dear Brothers and Sisters: Believing that the call extended to me by you Sept. 15 opens a door for usefulness in our master's service in Lowell, I accept the same, expecting the hearty co-operation of each member of the church in trying under his blessing to make the most of the opportunity for his glory.

With your consent the time of the beginning of my service with you will be Oct. 17, 1909.

May we all pray earnestly that his blessing may abundantly rest upon you and me in our work together, and that many may be born by his spirit into his kingdom.

Yours in His Name,
Benjamin R. Harris.
Bradford, N. H.

The following item recently appeared in the Warner Independent and Times:

"Rev. B. R. Harris read his resignation as pastor of the Baptist church, last Sunday. He has accepted the pastorate of a Baptist church in Lowell, Mass. and will begin his duties there some time in October. He has been here for nearly five years, and made many friends who regret his departure. He has made himself not only a fine pastor, but pleasant neighbor and friend. His family will also be much missed."

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

A demonstration of class work of the young men will be given next week Wednesday evening in the gymnasium to which all the young men of the city are invited. New members are already coming in, and the gym promises to be lively this fall. Next week is membership week, and you should not fail to obtain your new man, and get that 150 by Oct. 11.

A meeting of the executive committee of 50 will be held this evening.

The men's meeting of October 10 at the rooms of the association promises to be a good one, with Dr. Clark of the Schubert quartet of Boston and R. A. Elwood of New Jersey in his address of "Wanted—a Man."

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STABBED IN NECK

Assailant is Believed to be Insane

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 28.—Martin L. Keogh, of Wilmington, Del., was walking down Washington street last night when Jacob Plumm, of Rochester, N. H. ran up to him and stabbed him in the neck with a keen bladed knife. Plumm was arrested. At the police station he declared that Keogh was a Black Hand man who had trailed him from the east. Plumm will be examined as to his sanity. Keogh will recover.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

8-ROOM HOUSE, good size, lot of land, near Appleton st., for sale. Price only $750. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

TWO STORY HOUSE, one acre of land, lot of fruit, in Chelmsford Centre, for sale. Price $1500. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central st.

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AN UNFURNISHED ROOM wanted in respectable family for light housekeeping, lower floor preferred. Address L., Sun Office.

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MIDDLE AGED WOMAN wanted to mind children. One who will be kind to them. Inquire 27 Bolt st.

EXPERIENCED BEADERS ON SHOES wanted. Beverly Beading Co., 11 Central st., Lowell, Mass.

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LOST AND FOUND

POCKETBOOK lost between South common and depot, Sept. 27. Reward if returned to 16 Keene street.

SMALL GUN METAL WATCH with gold mountings and fob lost Sept. 20th. Open face; monogram on back. Reward for return at 42 Central st. M. Madigan.

AN OPAL RING with four initials on inside, lost Sept. 25, on either Merrimack st. or Decatur ave. Return to Mrs. Rose Perigny, 9 Decatur ave. Reward.

GOLD CHAIN CHARM lost, pear shaped nugget. Reward, C. A. Spencer, 29 Middle St.

SUM OF MONEY lost, last week, between Agawam and Central streets, by way of Lawrence, Swift and Whipple streets. Reward at 59 Agawam street.

GOLD CROSS AND CHAIN lost Friday, Sept. 17, either in Theatre La Scala or St. Peter's church, or on Gorham st. Reward if returned to 17 Burns st.

FOR SALE

SECOND HAND GODDARD BUGGY for sale, in first class condition. Apply 805 Merrimack st.

AUTO CAR RUNABOUT, $300. Overhauled and painted in spring. Tires in good condition. Car is equipped with top, headlights and generator. Can be seen at Morrissey's stable, Andover, Mass.

BABY CARRIAGE for sale. Inquire 235 Mt. Hope st.

LODGING HOUSE for sale. Owner to leave city, cause for selling. Inquire 94 John st.

GRAPHOPHONE, horn, stand and 10 records for sale. John H. Stewart, 11 Bolton place, off Franklin st.

HANDSOME MARE for sale, that has been driven by two little girls, must be someone who will give her a good home, no one else need apply. Cheap to right party. Rear 56 Franklin st.

NEW RANGE and PARLOR STOVE for sale. Write H. C. B., Sun Office.

KITCHEN and PARLOR STOVE for sale. Inquire E. W. Nelson, 153 Moore st.

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SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.45	6.60	6.25	7.26
a6.27	7.41	7.63	8.65
b6.44	7.53	8.15	9.01
6.49	7.30	9.00	9.39
7.01	8.00	9.45	9.52
7.22	8.05	10.00	10.37
a7.31	8.50	b10.21	11.34
7.44	8.35	11.30	12.07
8.48	9.25	12.00	12.56
8.56	9.35	1.00	1.37
b9.27	10.35	1.15	1.52
9.32	10.19	2.00	3.04
10.45	11.40	3.00	3.37
11.33	12.20	3.44	4.21
12.12	1.00	b3.51	5.02
1.45	2.30	a4.14	5.36
2.41	3.33	5.00	5.37
3.57	4.40	b5.21	6.23
4.09	4.50	5.38	6.25
4.25	5.30	b5.51	7.05
5.20	6.15	s6.14	7.30
b6.10	7.15	7.30	8.04
6.28	7.10	8.30	9.08
7.56	8.20	10.30	11.34
8.21	9.10	11.17	11.54
10.00	10.40	11.20	12.16

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.46	7.55	z7.00	8.16
8.04	8.55	7.30	8.52
9.30	10.44	9.24	10.35
10.50	11.55	10.55	11.52
12.05	1.10	11.50	12.44
z1.30	2.30	2.14	3.20
3.15	4.14	3.30	4.30
4.25	5.25	4.50	5.54
5.56	6.00	6.23	7.04
7.00	8.00	6.35	7.45
9.35	10.35	9.35	10.34
		*11.25	12.21

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a Via Lawrence Junction.
b Via Bedford.
s Via Salem Jct.
z Via Wilmington Junction.

SUNDAY TRAINS
WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	9.20	8.00	9.08
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.00
3.50	6.00	2.14	3.25
5.45	7.00	3.30	4.41
6.60	10.02	5.20	6.36
		8.40	9.42

SUNDAY TRAINS
SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.49	7.30	9.00	10.00
7.22	8.05	10.00	10.37
8.00	8.40	11.30	12.07
8.45	9.40	1.00	1.37
9.20	10.15	5.00	6.02
10.30	11.33	7.30	8.08
2.25	3.27	8.30	9.08
5.10	6.00	9.00	10.02
6.25	7.10	10.14	10.51
7.36	8.26	10.20	11.35

LOCAL NEWS

First-class work, Tobin's Printery.

Undertaker Finnegan, Davis Sq. Tel.

Gilmore's orchestra, North Chelmsford, Friday evening.

When placing insurance consult J. F. Donohoe, Donovan building. Tel.

Dr. Clifford wishes to notify his customers that he has returned and is again ready for business at 99 Westford st.

Teeth extracted and filled without pain by the Obtundine system of painless dentistry. Dr. Gagnon, 466 Merrick st.

Miss Kittie Blennerhassett will have her fall display of millinery on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 1 and 2, at her parlors, rooms 45-46 Central block.

CALLED A DRAW

Lauden Entered the Ring a Favorite

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—Leonard Lauden, the California lightweight, entered the ring a warm favorite over Morris Bloom of Chicago last night at the Phoenix A. C., but the best he could get was a draw at the end of the eighth round. The contest ended with Lauden the stronger.

SENATOR ALDRICH

GUEST OF GOVERNOR OF BANK OF PARIS

PARIS, Sept. 28.—Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island and Prof. Andrews, who are here gathering information for the report of the monetary commission are the recipients of great attention. They have been dined by M. Pallain, governor of the bank of France, M. Cochery, minister of finance, and the heads of several prominent French credit institutions and they have had a number of interviews with financial experts.

TEXTILE SCHOOL

REGISTRATION FOR EVENING CLASSES OPENS TOMORROW.

The evening classes of the Lowell Textile school will open on October 18th and registration will begin tomorrow evening and continue every Thursday evening until the opening of the session.

The GILBRIDE Dry Goods Co.

Wishes to inform its patrons and the public that its store will be closed this afternoon and will be open every Tuesday after this date. This is the last of the half holiday closing.

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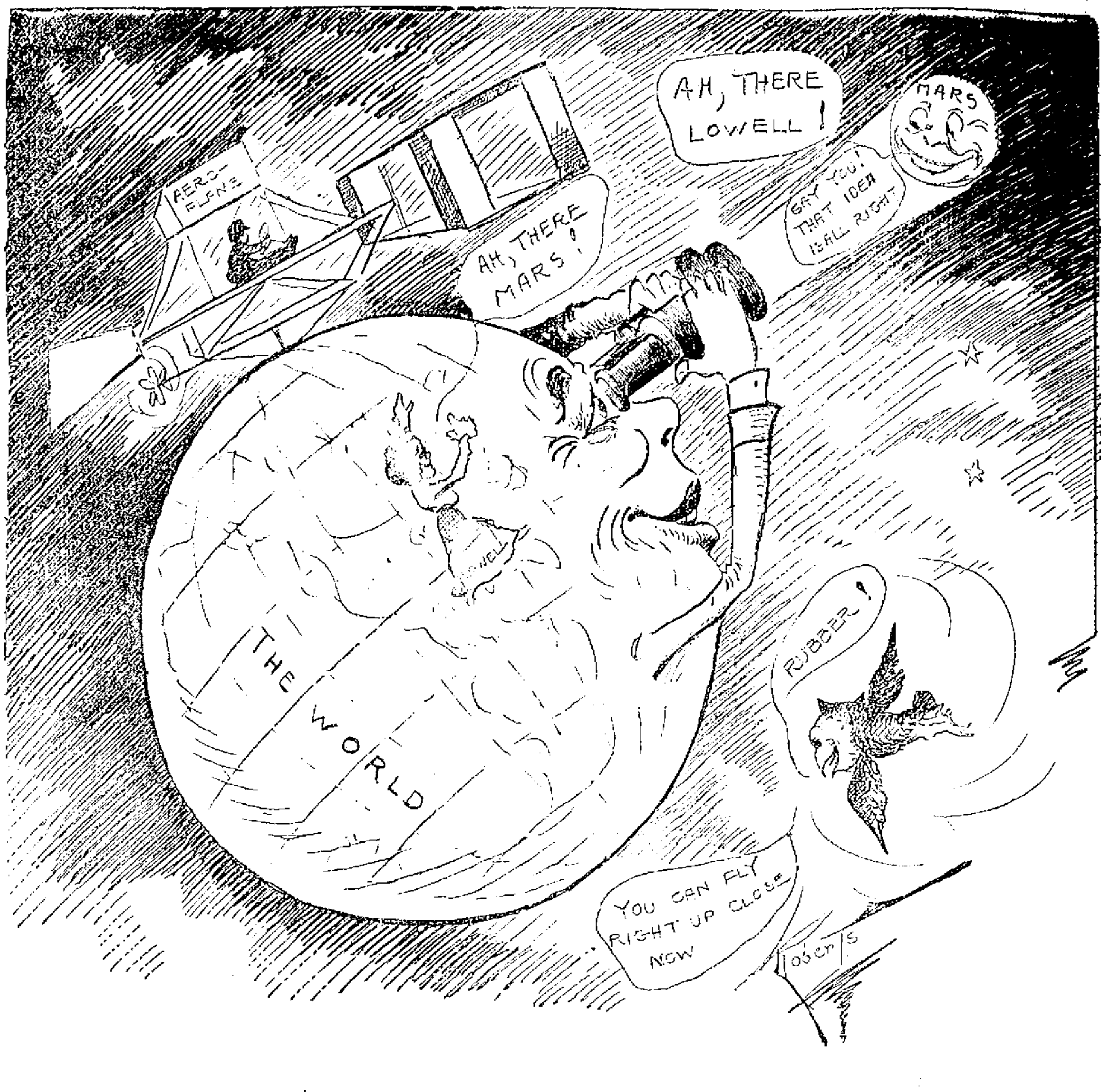

PIPE DREAM POSSIBILITIES OF THE FUTURE

HOLDUP IN SALOON

One Man Killed and Two Others Seriously Wounded

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.—One man is dead and two others are in a hospital in this city suffering from bullet wounds as the result of a holdup in a saloon at Yorke road and Lycoming street in the northern part of the city late last night. The highwayman who was masked made his escape. The dead man who was shot through the abdomen was Jas. Quinn, 23 years of age, an elevator operator and son of the proprietor of the saloon. The wounded men are Henry Sailor aged 27 and John J. Cassidy, 27. Sailor has a bullet wound under the heart and his condition is serious. Cassidy was not badly hurt.

Patrick J. Quinn, the proprietor of the saloon, informed his family that he was going to attend a lodge meeting and his son agreed to look after the place. Before leaving the saloon the elder Quinn treated all in the place to drinks. Before his death in the hospital Young Quinn said it was one of the men who was treated that later did the shooting. It was raining hard last night and young Quinn and the two customers were chatting in the well lighted saloon when the man walked into the place and up to the bar. Quinn prepared to wait upon them when he found himself looking into the barrel of a revolver.

"Everybody, hands up!" was the robber's first comment and this was followed by the order to open the cash drawer. Quinn opened the cash drawer, but he did not move quick enough to suit the robber and he called out "Hurry up, you!"

Quinn's had a handful of bills, about $25, when the man fired the first shot. The bullet struck Quinn in the abdomen. The wounded man with several bills in his hand fell to the floor. The police have a theory that the robber thought Quinn who was fumbling in the drawer was looking for a revolver. Cassidy and Sailor both ran for the door. The robber swung around and said: "Stand where you are. You are not going out and bring the police down on me."

Cassidy says he stepped but not quickly enough for the robber and was shot in the side. What happened to Sailor is not fully known. At the hospital he was only able to say that the robber had shot him, taken his valuables and fled.

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EXHIBITION OF FALL MILLINERY

Miss Ella M. Burke at 20 Palmer street, in the Pollard building, held her fall and winter opening yesterday and today, and while the weather conditions were not what the ladies would like, a very large number was attracted to her beautiful millinery parlors knowing that there would be something out of the ordinary to be seen.

The parlors were beautifully decorated with hydrangeas, Jacqueminot roses and cut flowers which added greatly to the attraction of the display of original and up-to-date millinery. Miss Burke has always been considered one of the most expert milliners in this city, and the display at her store this year seems to exceed that of former years, and no doubt her patronage will be larger than ever. All the ladies have to do is to call at this fashionable establishment and they are sure to find just what they want in the millinery line. The formal opening will continue the rest of the week and all are cordially invited to call.

Our 16th Anniversary Shows the Merrimack $2.00 Derby on top as usual.

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For Fall and Winter

Every young man wants Snap and Style to the hat he wears. It is the finishing touch that completes the smart appearance of his dress. In our new and complete assortment of

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To Lowell People on the Great Tonic Theory

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Dr. O'Donnell, the Boston physician, says he is glad to meet the people of Lowell and tell them about the tonic theory that brings health, happiness and long life to all who will follow it out.

It is one of nature's wonderful secrets at last discovered and laid bare to the eyes of mankind.

The doctor has today brought cheer and comfort to many sick people who have called on him.

He wants every sick person in Lowell to see him while he is here.

Dr. O'Donnell can explain it all in a way you can understand. See him today. The most important thing in your life.

It is every married man's duty to take care of his health and keep himself strong and vigorous for only so can he be the best husband and father.

It is the wife's duty to save herself from sickness and weaknesses. Let her be healthy and she will continue to be beautiful and attractive.

We all owe it to ourselves to gain health and vitality and keep them.

This man, Dr. O'Donnell, will tell you how to overcome all your bodily ills. But you must present to him the coupon printed at the bottom of this article and he will then make no charge whatever for talking with you.

You will find Dr. O'Donnell at A. W. Dows' store, where he is making his headquarters while here in Lowell.

This is Dr. O'Donnell's first visit to Lowell. He is receiving words of praise and blessing from Lowell people who have seen him, and have learned from him the path to health, happiness and peace of mind.

No matter what your sickness is, see him today. He will show you how to save yourself.

CONSULTATION COUPON Present This to Dr. O'Donnell

Present this coupon to Dr. O'Donnell at A. W. Dows' drug store, cor. Central and Merrimack streets. Do it at once. Tell Dr. O'Donnell just how you feel and what you think your trouble is. He will show you the way to health through the tonic theory.

THE VESPER CLUB

Defeated Winchester Club at Golf

There was a two-ball foursome team match between Winchester and the Vesper Country club at the Country club golf links Saturday the local team winning. The score was as follows:

WINCHESTER C. C.

	Points
W. Bond and Dunbar	0
Capt. Brooks and Bouve	0
W. Kingsley and Dunbar	1
	1

VESPER C. C.

	Points
T. T. Clark and J. Thorpe	1
H. J. Corwin and F. Stuart	1
R. W. Gleason and W. G. Eaton	0
	2

A return match, singles, will be played at Winchester October 2.

Saturday's contest in the club series was a medal play handicap (select from two consecutive rounds the lowest score). This was won by R. W. Thompson with a net score of 37. The scores:

	Gross	Hdcp	Net
R. W. Thompson	44	7	37
A. D. Butterfield	43	5	38
A. H. Sweatt	44	6	38
F. G. Farquhar	45	7	38
P. M. Bramhall	45	7	38
I. C. Eaton	51	13	38
H. J. Corwin	42	3	39
Joseph Peabody	48	5	43
J. B. Hylan	No card		
T. Nesmith, jr.	No card		

In the championship consolation the following are drawn to play: A. K. Chadwick vs. J. K. Whittier; C. H. Dutton vs. D. D. Bartlett; A. H. Morten vs. Joseph Peabody; Frank Stuart vs. T. T. Clark.

The second round of championship play must be completed on or before Oct. 2. The matches are as follows: Gleason vs. Putnam; Corwin vs. Sherman; Eaton vs. Sweatt; Brown vs. Knapp.

Money deposited in the Lowell Five Cent Savings bank on or before Saturday, October 2, 1909, begins to draw interest from that date.

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Street and stable blankets, fur and plush robes, all new stock this season.

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Saturday, Oct. 2, at 3 p. m.
AT 63 BARTLETT STREET A COTTAGE HOUSE, BARN AND CARRIAGE SHED AND ABOUT 3500 SQUARE FEET OF LAND.

We have instructed the auctioneer to sell on the premises regardless of any condition of the weather the above property. The house which consists of eight rooms, has five rooms on the first floor and three chambers on the next. It has been recently papered and painted and has slated roof. The barn has four stalls and two large carriage sheds. This would make a very nice home for someone who keeps a few horses as it is very centrally located. Now then if you want to locate in Belvidere this is your opportunity.

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AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE ON THE PREMISES, NO. 2 DUDLEY COURT, COR. NEW FLETCHER STREET, SATURDAY, OCT. 2, AT 1.30 O'CLOCK P. M.

I will sell at public auction at the above address the contents of a six room house, consisting in part of beds, bedding, commodes, bureaus, carpets, pictures, Household sewing machine, Elmwood range, No. 8, in first class condition, two oil stoves, bed lounge, couch, and numerous other articles of which space can't allow. Terms: Cash. By order of NEIL KNUTSON.

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Tomorrow Afternoon at 3 O'Clock

We will sell the furnishings of the eight-room house, 153 Liberty street. Most of the property is as good as new, only been used one year.

THE WEATHER
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SIMPLE SERVICES

At Funeral of Hon. Charles D. Palmer Today

State and City Officially Represented—City Hall Closed Out of Respect to the Dead

The funeral of the late Charles D. Palmer, member of the state board of arbitration, ex-mayor and one of Lowell's best known and most popular citizens, took place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from his home, 129 Fairmount street and was largely attended. There were present besides many of Lowell's most prominent citizens in both public and private life, including five of Lowell's ex-mayors, several friends from the state house including Hon. R. P. Barry and Hon. B. F. Supple of the state board of arbitration. There were many beautiful floral tributes laid upon the bier by those who were unaware of the family's wish that there be no flowers. The funeral services were simple but impressive and were conducted by Rev. George C. Wright. There was no singing.

At the service was a delegation from the city council headed by the mayor and many of the heads of departments, for city hall was closed this afternoon out of respect for the deceased. Also present was a delegation from the Elks, of which organization the deceased was a popular member, consisting of Exalted Ruler William S. Grady, Ex-Mayor Bro. James B. Casey, Senator Bro. Joseph H. Hibbard, Past Exalted Ruler Frank Marsh Merrill, Bro. Laforest Beals, Bro. Dr. Frank O'Sullivan, and Bro. Philip P. Connors. The bearers were four ex-mayors, Hon. Edward J. Noyes, Hon. George W. Fifield, Hon. John J. Pickman, and Hon. Charles E. Howe, and Hon. R. P. Barry and Hon. B. F. Supple of the state board of arbitration. The interment was in the family lot in the Hildreth cemetery and was in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Frank K. Stearns.

GOV. QUINBY NAMED DELEGATES

CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 28.—Gov. Quinby has appointed Col. Straw of Manchester and Col. Leighton of Dublin as delegates from New Hampshire to the deeper waterways convention at New Orleans, La., October 31, November 1 and 2.

CLAIMS ALLOWED

Favorable Action by Committee of the City Council

The committee on claims heard more petitioners for personal and property injury last week than were ever heard at one meeting in the committee's history. The committee met last Thursday and Friday and the following report relative to the committee's recommendations on claims will go to the common council tonight: Leave to withdraw, F. H. Safford, William Clark, Irvin A. Foote, Philip Gauthier, Sarah A. Wood, Katherine L. Cowdrey, Hermon Peiffer, Alice Peiffer, Thomas Callahan, Bernard A. Connor, Joseph Dube, Jr., all asking compensation for personal or property injuries were given leave to withdraw.

The following awards were made by the committee: George Husson, sewer damage, Suffolk street, $75; John Mehan, injured in Oakland sewer, $124; Thomas M. Burns, injured in Prescott street sewer when the sewer was being lowered a few weeks ago, $116; Colin MacDonald, damage to house in Andover street by blasting in Oakland sewer, $100; Edith H. Morse, hurt in Billerica street by hose, $25; Mary J. Allen, injured by fall in Suffolk street, $150; Alice MacCormick, injured by fall in Rogers street, $100; Rebecca Kennedy, injured in Moody street, $50; Helen E. Estabrook, injured in Plain street, $100; Mary A. Keyes, injured in Quebec street, $100; Isabella Scallion, injured in High street, $35; Katherine Kelley, injured in East Merrimack street, $100; Frank O. Shaw, injured by stepping on pick in Merrimack street, $50.

Two of the local militia companies, C and K, were reimbursed for expenses connected with long range rifle practice at the state range in Wakefield. Company K was awarded $151 and Co. C $40.

NORMAL SCHOOL

The number of students registered at the state normal school in Broadway for the term just opened is 174, the largest in the history of the school and so large as to require the putting in of more furniture and books. The attendance last year was considered very good. The students numbered 145 and the attendance this term shows a gain of more than twenty per cent. over last year.

The students have come from the various preparatory schools in this section of the country. The greatest numbers are from Lowell and Lawrence. Haverhill is third.

There is a large contingent from New Hampshire. The school is always well patronized by New Hampshirites but this year the contingent is larger than ever, due, in a great measure, to the fact that the normal school at Nashua was abolished last year and the whole senior class came to Lowell this year.

GAMES POSTPONED

American at Boston—Boston-St Louis double-headed called off, rain.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

HARRY WHITNEY

Repeats His Interview With Explorer Cook

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Sept. 28.—The Arctic vessel Jeannie, with Harry Whitney, the New Haven big game hunter, on board, has arrived here from the Greenland coast by way of Indian Harbor, Lab.

Mr. Whitney was questioned regarding the statements made to him by Dr. Frederick Cook in Greenland. He said that Cook arrived at Annatok in April of this year and declared that he had reached the North pole a year ago. He pledged Whitney, however, not to tell Commander Peary, who was to be informed only that Cook had gone farther north than Peary's previous record.

Dr. Cook told Whitney that he had accomplished all he expected to and more besides and that he was through with the northern country. Whitney did not communicate the latter part of this statement to Commander Peary.

Continuing Mr. Whitney said that Dr. Cook had complained to him of Peary's taking over of his house and stores but declared that he had suffered no unfairness. Peary's steward, William Pritchard, was present when these statements were made. Like Mr. Whitney he was pledged to secrecy by Dr. Cook. Murphy, Peary's boatswain who was in charge of the stores, was absent at Etah on this day and did not hear Dr. Cook's communications.

There were two houses on the Greenland shore, one at Annatok holding Cook's stores and another at Etah holding Peary's stores. The three white men, Whitney, Murphy and Pritchard, sometimes occupied one and sometimes the other of these houses.

Murphy was in charge of both houses. He is not able to read or write. He had written instructions from Peary which Whitney at Peary's request, read over to him from time to time. Those instructions were very stringent. They directed Murphy to use Cook's stores first and Peary's afterwards. Murphy was told in them that he was to give Dr. Cook every help if he came along in a needy condition and furthermore the instructions implied that Murphy was to organize an expedition to search for Dr. Cook but according to Mr. Whitney this part of the instructions was worded very ambiguously. Mr. Whitney said that Dr. Cook had a copy of these instructions and would doubtless make them public. Murphy treated Cook very civilly and Cook suffered no discourtesy.

When Dr. Cook and his Eskimos arrived at the house they had no sledge. Being too tired to drag it over the rough ice they had left it twenty miles from Etah. The following day some other Eskimos went out, recovered the sledges and brought them in. On them were Dr. Cook's instruments, clothes and food. After spending two days at Annatok, where Cook first met Whitney, Cook started for Etah. Whitney accompanied him. Whitney remained three days at Etah organizing for his hunting trip. The doctor had figured out roughly the date that he would likely get to Upernavik and when the Dundee whalers or the Danish store ships would reach there and he argued that he had no time to lose. He planned originally to take two Eskimos and two sledges but on Eskimo fell sick and this made it necessary for him to cut down the luggage he could take with him sorth. He consequently asked Whitney to take charge of the instruments with which he made observations at the pole. There were three cases, one containing a sextant, another an artificial horizon, and the third an instrument which Mr. Whitney said he could not recall. It possibly might have been a chronometer. Cook left no written records with Whitney that Whitney is aware of. There may have been some records, however, in the other boxes in which Cook packed his clothes and his personal effects, but Cook did not tell Whitney especially that he was leaving any written records with him. Mr. Whitney was very positive about this.

After Cook's departure for the south Whitney resumed his hunting. He took over Cook's two Eskimos, Etukishuk and Arwalalv to show him the country where Cook had shot musk oxen. This they did and Whitney bagged all the oxen he could carry away on his sledges. He said he found his two Eskimos to be quite satisfactory in subordinate capacities but he knows nothing of their value in a dash across the Polar sea. Then continuing, Mr. Whitney said that last month when Peary on board the Roosevelt reached Etah from the north after his winter's work there, he (Whitney), informed him of Dr. Cook's arrival in April, adding that Cook had told him, (Whitney), to tell Peary that Cook had gone beyond Peary's Farthest North. Peary made no comment on this and Whitney said he was not asked any other questions by Peary. But the next day Cook's Eskimos came to Whitney and asked him what Peary's men were trying to get them to say. Peary's men had shown the Eskimos papers and maps but the Eskimos declared they did not understand these papers. So far as Mr. Whitney is aware Cook's Eskimos never admitted that while with the doctor they had only progressed two "sleeps" from land.

GENL. HUBBARD

IN CONFERENCE WITH PEARY AGAIN TODAY

BAR HARBOR, Me., Sept. 28.—General Thomas Hubbard, president of the Peary Arctic club and Commander Peary were again in conference today over the proofs which Mr. Peary has gathered together from various sources to show, as he says, that Dr. Frederick A. Cook did not reach the pole. No statement from Commander Peary or Gen. Hubbard was forthcoming this morning on the proceedings of the conference, but it was said that it would probably continue all day.

Commander Peary is anxious to make a full statement of the whole matter, but this will hardly be done until the officers of the Peary Arctic club have passed on the statement. The proofs which Commander Peary will offer are of various character, some of which in a court of law would be described as direct evidence while other proofs depend entirely on process of deductions from certain given facts. The equipment and expedition of Dr. Cook will be described in detail and again its alleged accomplishment in traveling to the pole and return will be compared to the work of the expeditions of Peary and other Arctic explorers.

Dr. Cook's experience with Arctic expeditions and his method of keeping the records and his disposition of them in part to Harry Whitney, a stranger to him, will play no small part in Commander Peary's proof. It is a combination of facts and data which in their cumulative strength Commander Peary believes will cut the ground from under Cook's claim. Commander Peary and his wife may not return to Portland before tomorrow.

Gen. Thomas Hubbard declared today that he had made no statement regarding the Peary proofs and that any statement purporting to give the points in the Peary-proof in the Cook controversy or a forecast of it was unauthorized.

Commander Peary will be here until tomorrow. He hopes to be able to take part in the Hudson-Fulton naval parade on Friday after which he will return to his home at Eagle Island.

Gen. Hubbard said:

"I have made no statements against Dr. Cook nor has any arraignment of him been drawn. The proofs to be made public later will simply be a statement of facts and will be submitted without argument. The facts will speak for themselves. The statements will be fairly long and not divided up in counts as has been reported.

Gen. Hubbard said that the officers of the Peary Arctic club would examine the statement carefully before it was made public.

"Any suggestions for modification of language," added Gen. Hubbard, "of course will be given to Commander Peary for his approval. The officers of the Peary Arctic club will not and cannot take from or add to the facts in the case."

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STEAMER LOST

Every Man on Board But One Perished

RANGOON, Burmah, Sept. 28.—The British Steamer Clan MacKintosh belonging to the Madras Steam Navigation Co., is reported to have blown up at sea. Every man on board with one exception is said to have perished. The Clan MacKintosh was on her way from Rangoon to Calcutta to be fitted out with new berths.

AN INJUNCTION GRANTED

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—The Sederquist, Barry Co., now bankrupt, its trustees Charles F. Weed, the firm of Wiggin & Elwell and the American Trust Co., are affected by an injunction granted today to Joseph Mooney in the superior court in which they are restrained from disposing in any manner of American Banking Co. bonds valued at $10,000. Mr. Mooney claims that he deposited the ten bonds with Sederquist, Barry & Co. last November to cover market transactions. He alleges that the bonds were transferred to Wiggin & Elwell, the latter falsely maintaining, the plaintiff declares, that the now bankrupt firm owed them money. Mr. Mooney claims that in spite of the transfer he has been charged interest by Sederquist, Barry & Co. since. He seeks to recover both bonds and interest.

FOUND IN A CAR

Two Men in Court for Breaking and Entering

Fred Rosseau and Henry Richard were arraigned in police court this morning on complaints charging them with breaking and entering a car of the Boston & Maine railroad with intent to commit larceny from the same. They entered pleas of not guilty and the cases were continued until tomorrow morning.

The two men were found in a freight car in the south yard near the Bleachery station this morning. The car contained furniture which had been shipped from Manchester and while none of the contents was removed or disturbed the seal on the door of the car was broken.

The prisoners claimed that they found the door of the car open and as the rain was heavy they decided to get into the car to keep dry and have a sleep.

ACCUSED OF MURDER

WARRENTON, Va., Sept. 28.—In the Fauquier county court before Judge Edward S. Turner this morning began the trial of Prof. J. D. Harris, former principal of the Warrenton high school, charged with the murder of William A. Thompson, associate editor of the Warrenton Virginian, on April 24th last. When the court opened the room quickly filled with spectators and the work of selecting a jury to decide upon the guilt or innocence of Prof. Harris was watched with interest by the large crowd. Most of the day it was expected would be occupied in the selection of the jurors. The killing took place in the streets of Warrenton and was the result of a series of difficulties between the two men.

THREE NEW MILLS

To be Built by Bigelow Manufacturing Company

The Bigelow Carpet company will increase its plant in this city to the extent of three new mills that will be built along the Pawtucket canal. The three new mills will cost more than $300,000, and taken together with the big store house for which the foundation has already been laid, the Bigelow Carpet company has a big spell of building on its hands, and it speaks well for the company's prosperity.

All of the company's mills are numbered and the three new mills will be numbered 17, 18 and 19. Only the foundation for mill number 17 will be laid at the present time. This building will be two stories high, 277 by 46 feet. It will be of concrete construction, brick walls and fire proof. It will be used as a dye house.

Mill number 18 will be five stories, 125 by 46. It will be of brick, mill construction and will be used for a laboratory, dye room, paint, belt shops and storage. This building will be equipped with a tower with stairways and elevators.

Mill number 19 will be a three story building, 235 by 46 and will be used for a dye house. It will have brick walls, concrete floors and will be of fire-proof construction.

The contractors are W. N. Pike & Sons of Lawrence and Charles T. Main of Boston is the engineer.

A RECORD RUN

Was Made to Get a Surgeon

HARRISON, Sept. 28.—George B. Morrill of the firm of Burnham & Morrill made a record run in his automobile from Harrison to Bridgton yesterday to get a surgeon for Erastus Caswell, who had been injured in the Burnham & Morrill packing house. The man's right arm was caught in the machinery and so badly torn that the injuries were expected to result in his death.

Mr. Morrill ran his automobile to Bridgton, six miles away, and returned with a surgeon in less than 20 minutes.

BARGE FOUNDERED

BALTIMORE, Sept. 28.—The barge W. S. Barker of Philadelphia, one of a string of three barges all laden with cinders, in tow of the tug Dixie bound to Norfolk from Baltimore foundered last Sunday morning off Sharp island, Chesapeake bay, during a heavy storm. The Barker's crew of two men were rescued after heroic work by the crew of the tug. The other barges were cut adrift but were later picked up in safety by the Dixie.

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BODY OF A CHILD

Found Floating in Merrimack River

A small wooden box containing the body of a male child, prematurely born, was found floating in the Merrimack river near Elsmere Station No. 2, on the Lawrence road, about 8.30 o'clock this morning by some school children and was later brought to this city by Constable William E. Newton of the Dracut police and turned over to Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons. Constable Newton afterwards notified the police of his find.

Two school children, Hayward by name, who live in Kenwood, were on their way to school when they noticed the box floating in the river and pulling it ashore opened it and after seeing the contents went to school and notified the teacher and the latter in turn notified Constable Newton.

Mr. Newton went to the place where the box had been left by the children and took it to the undertaking parlors of Undertakers O'Donnell and then reported the matter at the police station.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. John Sheehan, the well-known letter carrier, and Miss Catherine Devine, daughter of Mrs. Mary Devine of Kinsman street, were married at the rectory of St. Peter's church at 9.30 o'clock this forenoon. Rev. Dr. Kelleher performed the ceremony. The bridesmaid was Miss Annie M. Devine, cousin of the bride, and the bridegroom was attended by his cousin, Mr. Michael Sheehan. The bride wore a white silk dress, white picture hat and carried bride roses. The bridesmaid wore blue silk, picture hat and carried American Beauty roses.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother in Kinsman street and was attended by relatives and friends including several from Lawrence and Peabody. The D. L. Page company catered.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheehan left for an extended wedding trip which will include New York city, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Niagara Falls.

6 O'CLOCK

HISTORIC PAGEANT

Seen in Grand Street Parade in New York Today

The Cost of the Floats Estimated at $800,000 — Fifty-Four Floats With Nearly 20,000 Men in Costume, Representing Every Patriotic Society, Posing as Historic Personages

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—The center of the Hudson-Fulton celebration today was the route chosen for the historical pageant of commemorative floats, Central Park west of Fifth avenue extending almost in a straight line with a slight elbow at Fifty-Ninth street from One Hundredth street to Fourth street at the foot of Washington square today made ready to accommodate as many spectators as could crowd the buildings and stands on both sides to see the review by which the celebration committee has attempted to illustrate the periods of American history made famous by the achievements of Henry Hudson and Robert Fulton. The day opened with a drizzling rain, a reminder of that which interfered with the pleasure of yesterday's celebration, but this stopped before eight o'clock and the commission's promise that the historical pageant would not be abandoned for anything less than a hard downpour, started out the festival crowds in full numbers. Although there was a chance that Wilbur Wright and Glenn Curtiss might make brief trial flights off Governor island the sightseers were too occupied with the street display to flock to the Battery as they did yesterday and when these flights were the only out door feature of the celebration to be expected. It had been announced, however, that if the aviators flew at all their most spectacular efforts could not be expected until tomorrow. For the same reason little interest was shown in the New York-Albany balloon race. Owing to the high wind that still prevailed it was announced that there was almost no chance that the dirigibles would rise.

Today's pageant really represented the supreme effort of the committee. For several months workmen worked in an immense barnlike structure in Bronx park preparing the wood and plaster figures which today bright in paint and tinsel decorated the fifty-four floats in the procession. Nearly twenty thousand men, women and children, most of them in costume representing every national and patriotic society in the city posed as historic personages on these floats or marched between and beside them. The cost of the whole spectacle was $800,000.

The sum expended to enable several hundred thousand cheering Hudson-Fulton guests to view this spectacle was enormous. On every available spot along the four mile route of march stands had been erected and the sums paid for seats on these varied from $1 to $5. Windows fronting on the two streets brought still larger prices and the threatening weather today caused the value of window seats to rise.

The guests of the committee and the city numbered several thousand. The former occupied an immense stand constructed in front of the new public library on the west side of Fifth ave. This was the reviewing stand and at this point on both sides of the street towered white pillars while at night the two blocks were illuminated to day-time brightness by thousands of electric bulbs.

This stand was used by the officers of the visiting warships and the celebration committee besides their families and friends.

Another stand had been set apart for subscribers to the subscription fund. It is estimated that when the parade started from 110th street early in the afternoon nearly a million spectators were jammed into the space between the house walls along Central park west and Fifth avenue. The story unfolded by the floats and their costumed characters dealt with the history of New York and the country immediately surrounding—the Indian, Dutch, colonial, and modern. The last named, however, carried the tale no further than the first Erie canal boat and the introduction of water from Croton reservoir.

Leading the pageant were the officers of the city and the commander, Gen. Charles Roe of the national guard was grand marshal. The Irish societies led the first division, having in line about four hundred Friendly Sons of St. Patrick and the 2000 members of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, while after them marched 1500 from the Italian organizations, 1500 Bohemians, 250 Poles and 250 Hungarians, all in costume. The title car New York which led the floats was followed by 250 Norwegians. A number of Iroquois Indians took part in the tableaux on the Indian floats that followed. After 1000 more members of the Italian societies and 1000 more Hibernians came the floats representing scenes in the early Dutch colonies, including representations of the Half Moon and the fate of Henry Hudson. One that attracted much attention was the car "St. Nicholas" which was attended by 2500 children. In order that the youngsters might not be wearied by the long march they served in relays along the route.

Swedish and Irish societies including 1500 members of the Clan-Na-Gael preceded the floats of the Colonial period and the members of various patriotic societies escorted the cars of the "modern" or United States period which composed the last division. "The reception to Lafayette," however, was accompanied by 200 members of the French societies and the car Garibaldi was escorted by members of the Italian societies including ten veterans who had served under the famous Italian liberator.

The other events of the day included a music festival in the Metropolitan Opera House.

All records for street crowds were broken today. In the eagerness to gain vantage points in the comparatively small space available for viewing the parade record prices were paid for windows, seats and even soap boxes. One colored porter of a Fifth avenue office building sold twenty wooden boxes at an average of two dollars a piece. The purchasers hastened to set the boxes on the curb and as the crowd packed tight around them to hold their positions they were forced to stand on their costly little pedestals for several hours before the parade appeared.

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IN CONVENTION

Universalists Gathered at Portsmouth, N. H.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Sept. 28.—Members of the Universalist church throughout the state gathered in this city today for the annual convention of the denomination. The convention includes in addition to the church meeting the annual gatherings of the Sunday School association, Women's Missionary society and the Young People's Christian union. Today's program consisted of the Sunday school and Young People's Christian Union's convention, and tomorrow the church convention will open with the women's meeting in the afternoon. Thursday will be the closing day.

The Massachusetts clergymen were speakers at the Sunday school convention today, the Rev. James James of Arlington and the Rev. E. W. Saunders of Pittsburg.

STRIKERS RETURN

BETTER SERVICE BEING GIVEN IN OMAHA

OMAHA, Neb., Sept. 28.—With an addition to the working force by the return yesterday of a number of striking men the Omaha & Council Bluff St. R. R. Co. was able to resume more normal service this morning than at any previous time since the strike began.

THE MUNSEY TOUR

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—The 22 automobiles remaining in the Munsey reliability tour left here today for Philadelphia. The cars will stop in Philadelphia over night and end the tour in Washington tomorrow. The run was from Washington to Boston and return. Five cars thus far have perfect records.

JEROME A CANDIDATE

NEW YORK, Sept. [illegible] District Attorney Jerome today filed the necessary petition with the bureau of elections endorsing his candidacy for re-election. Two thousand names are necessary for an independent nomination petition but Mr. Jerome sent in [illegible] thousand.

NURSERY HANDICAP

NEWMARKET, Eng., Sept. [illegible] The first nursery handicap of [illegible] sovereigns each for starters, with 200 sovereigns added for two year olds, distance five furlongs, was won today by the Southern Queen filly. H. P. Whitney's Oversight was second and Samos II. third. Among the twenty starters was August Belmont's Beaudepir which was unplaced.

MAY BE FREED

Mrs. Boyle Likely to get New Trial

PITTSBURG, Sept. 28.—Mrs. Helen Boyle, who was sentenced to 25 years' imprisonment in the Western penitentiary here for helping to kidnap Willie Whitla of Sharon, Pa., will be granted a new trial, probably. Her husband, James Boyle, is undergoing imprisonment for life, as the principal convicted of the kidnapping.

Although it was developed at her trial that Helen Boyle's life has been immoral, she has a pretty, ingenuous face which the rigors of prison life and prison pallor have rendered almost seraphic.

POLICE OFFICER

Acquitted on Charges Brought by Girl

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—Patrolman Voorhis A. Remsen of the Lynn police, who last week was suspended under charges of conduct unbecoming an officer, was exonerated at a hearing before Mayor Rich and the committee on police at city hall, Lynn, yesterday afternoon. He was at once reinstated with full pay during his absence, and last evening was returned to his beat in Central Square.

Rose Staples of Lynn and Providence, who made the charge against Remsen, did not appear. She is supposed to have left Lynn.

Many prominent business men were on hand to speak a word in Remsen's favor, among them President R. S. Bauer of the Lynn board of trade, Thomas B. Knight, John H. Madden, the Rev. Harry H. Paine of the South Street Methodist church, who is Remsen's pastor, and others. Mrs. Remsen, a young woman and the mother of five children, sat quietly in a corner.

As soon as Mayor Rich told Remsen that he was reinstated, the officer came quickly to where his wife sat and, bending over her, whispered to her. With tears in her eyes, Mrs. Remsen seized his hand and then, jumping up, went about the room, shaking hands with everybody there.

PRICE OF WIFE

Man Sets the Cost at $10,000

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 28.—Suit for $10,000 against Count Santa Eulalia, husband of the widow of John B. Stetson, Philadelphia millionaire, may be filed in Chicago, according to Mrs. L. Brockett Bishop, friend of the countess, living at the La Salle hotel.

Breach of contract is the basis of the expected action and the prospective plaintiff is Mrs. William Ernst, who says she introduced the count to Mrs. Stetson in the belief that $10,000 would be paid her as matchmaker.

ED. ARUNDEL

AGAIN CHOSEN HEAD OF BASEBALL ASSOCIATION

LAWRENCE, Sept. 28.—The stockholders of the Lawrence baseball club met last night and discussed the situation of the team, after they had listened to the reports of President E. L. Arundel and Treasurer Barry T. O'Connell. Following the reports, the election of officers and board of directors took place. The officers elected were: E. L. Arundel, president, Barry T. O'Connell, treasurer; John W. Cullinane, clerk. The board of directors consists of the above officers and Thomas F. Brooks, John F. Finn, M. H. Gleason, C. F. Lynch, John W. Waterman and P. J. Hennessey. The report of the treasurer showed that the club had lost but $1200 on the season, despite the poor attendance and the fact that the team finished in last place. At the meeting of the board of directors after the stockholders' meeting, it was voted to consider applications for a manager, the president stating that three applications have already been received.

SAVED $7100

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YORK, Penn., Sept. 28.—The will of Miss Anna Smith, just probated, has astonished even the economical Pennsylvania folk.

She was a servant for 61 of her 76 years, and never made more than $8 per month, but she leaves a house worth $1500 and $5600 in cash.

DEATHS

HERRON—William J. Herron, aged 32 years, died early this morning at his late home, 247 Dutton street. Besides his wife, Grace, he leaves one sister, Mrs. John Chadwick of Newark, N. J. Funeral notice later.

SPALDING—Mrs. Sarah A. Spalding, aged 74 years died at North Pelham yesterday. Deceased was a resident of New York city. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. W. A. Donaldson, also of New York.

Mrs. Spalding had come on a visit, but suffered a paralytic shock the first day she was in town and lingered along for nearly a week, the case being a very sad one. She was 74 years of age. The body will be taken home for burial.

LUCY—Mrs. Mary J. Lucy died very suddenly yesterday at her home, 125 Branch street, at the age of 54 years. The body was removed to the rooms of George W. Healey.

SARGENT—Mrs. Emma W. Sargent died Sunday night at the home of her step-son, Leonard S. Sargent, 63 Sixth street, at the age of 74 years and five months. She was the wife of the late Stephen Sargent and leaves two step-sons, Leonard S. Sargent and Harry S. Sargent, and one sister, Mrs. Mary J. Bickford of Genie, N. H.

VALUABLE CARGOES

Carried by Vessels That Arrived in Boston

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—Boston harbor had a day yesterday that brought joy to the chamber of commerce officials and all persons interested in seeing the city hold her share of the world's commerce.

Nine ocean steamers made port during the daylight hours and the wealth of the cargoes within their holds came very near reaching the $4,000,000 mark.

There were steamers from Liverpool, from Glasgow, from the West Indies and from Calcutta the last mentioned being perhaps the most interesting on account of the story that her commander had to tell concerning the ravages of the cholera in that city and its vicinity.

"Black cholera" was the name that the commander of the Hansa line steamer Barenfels gave the plague, and when he talked with a reporter Captain Engelage stated that the natives of Calcutta were dying like sheep in the streets. "Just before leaving Calcutta," he said, "eight of the nurses at the European hospital perished and thousands of natives had also been stricken."

The Barenfels brought a cargo worth $1,000,000 and went through some terrific monsoons on the way across, two puppies, valued at $500, dying of seasickness.

The entire force of immigration and customs officials were kept on the go all day long, taking care of the 2200 odd persons coming in on two of the passenger fleet. In Indian file the steamers entered the harbor, proceeding to their various berths, and requiring the services of a small fleet of tugs. The steamer Admiral Dewey, Captain Carlson, from Jamaican ports, was the first to arrive, berthing at Long wharf at 7 a.m. She had six passengers and a cargo of 24,000 bunches of bananas.

At 8.30 o'clock the big White Star liner Canopic, Captain Carter, reached Hoosac docks, Charlestown, after a splendid passage from the Mediterranean. She had 155 saloons, 130 second-class and 1113 steerage passengers, a total of 1389.

WOMAN LOST $12,000

Court Annuls the Legacy to Mrs. Nelson

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—Mrs. Lillian M. Nelson of 30 Mellen street, Dorchester, has lost a legacy said to amount to about $12,000 by the verdict of a jury which was rendered late yesterday afternoon in the supreme judicial court.

Under the will of the late Anna L. Shaw, who died at the advanced age of 94 as the result of a broken hip, Mrs. Nelson was to receive the residue of an estate valued at about $17,000, with the understanding, entered into before the will was executed, that Mrs Nelson should care for an aged sister of Miss Shaw.

The sister died soon after Miss Shaw, and from the same cause, a broken hip.

This disposition of Miss Shaw's small fortune did not appeal to Mrs. Maria S. Eayres, another sister, and she instituted proceedings to break the will on the ground that her sister, who was some 10 years older than she, was of insufficient mental capacity to make a legal will, and also that undue influence had been exerted upon her while she was in the City hospital.

The case was first heard in the probate court, where the will was allowed by Judge George. It came before the supreme judicial court and a jury upon an appeal from that decision.

According to the testimony at the trial, which consumed the greater part of last week, one of the house physicians at the City hospital refused to allow a will to be executed there, as he did not think the aged woman was capable of making a valid will.

Another house physician took the stand and testified that in his opinion Miss Shaw was of unsound mind at the time she was in the hospital.

This opinion was contrary to that offered by Dr. Charles G. Dewey, who attended the testatrix when she was in the hospital.

It also appeared from testimony that Mrs. Nelson, whose husband is an engineer employed in the hospital, was a frequent visitor at the bedside of Miss Shaw and lavished attentions upon her.

HERBERT K. SMITH HOME

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Herbert Knox Smith, member of the national waterways commission and chief of the bureau of corporations of the department of commerce and labor, arrived today on the steamer Krons Prinz Wilhelm from Bremen, Southampton and Cherbourg. Mr. Smith sailed from here with the members of the commission on August 10 last and sailed from her with the members of the commission on August 10 last and toured Europe, studying the waterways. Other passengers on the Kron Prinz Wilhelm were Andreas Dipple, Miss Geraldine Farrar, Alfred Hertz and Glenn Hall, the New American tenor, all of the Metropolitan Opera Co. The body of Mrs. Nelson Morris of Chicago, who was killed in an automobile accident near Fontainbleu, was brought back on the steamer by Ira Morris of Chicago, her son.

$10,000,000 FOR IRRIGATION

SPOKANE, Sept. 28.—In a speech on the conservation of the country's natural resources, delivered here today, President Taft declared that he would ask congress to authorize the issuance of $10,000,000 in bonds to complete irrigation projects already begun in the west and on which work had been stopped for lack of funds. This has been the hope of many settlers in the arid regions who had taken up land in expectation of procuring a supply of water to make them fertile, and the president's declaration was enthusiastically cheered.

THE TOBACCO POOL

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 28.—S. B. Haggin of New York, owner of the Elmendorf estate here, has signed his crop of Burley tobacco to the pooling movement it is announced today, thereby, the leaders think, assuring the success of the pool. The crop comprises the product of more than 300 acres and is estimated to be over a half million pounds, the largest crop of Burley tobacco in the world. The life or death of the pool will be decided Friday at the Winchester headquarters. J. H. Camden, who has the second largest crop, estimated today to be one hundred and eighty thousand pounds, has also entered the pool.

CLERGYMAN'S WIFE A SUICIDE

CARDIFF, Wales, Sept. 28.—Margaret Price Evans, the wife of a New York clergyman, committed suicide at Penwyllt, Wales, today by shooting with a revolver. Mrs. Evans was visiting at Penwyllt, her birthplace, after an absence of twenty years.

BALLOON RACE

Postponed Because of the High Wind

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—A northwest wind blowing 28 miles an hour caused the postponement today of the dirigible balloon race from New York to Albany for the New York World prize. It was planned to attempt a flight tomorrow if conditions favor.

Both Wilbur Wright and Glenn Curtiss went early to Governor's Island where their new aeroplanes are housed but after viewing the weather conditions both aviators said that there was little likelihood of a flight by them today and that they would not attempt to go up as long as the wind continued strong. Both machines are ready. It was announced that no public notification of the aeroplane flights would be given today because even if made they would be short and no more than test efforts.

RUSSELL CASE

Was Continued in Superior Court Today

CAMBRIDGE, Sept. 28.—The case growing out of the claim of D. B. Russell of Dickinson, N. D., to one-half the estate of Daniel Russell of Melrose is his son, was continued in the Middlesex court today. A capias was issued for the appearance in court of Mrs. Harriet Lynde of Melrose, an aunt of the petitioner who is expected to identify him. James P. Keating of New York recognized Russell as a boyhood chum and showed an autograph album with Russell's signature. This is said to closely correspond with samples of the claimant's writing of the present time.

STRUCK BY TRAIN

Youth Killed While Going to Dinner

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—Francis Keohane, 17 years old, of 21 Burke street, was struck and instantly killed by an inward-bound train on the tracks of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, in the rear of the National league grounds in Roxbury, shortly after noon yesterday.

He was employed in the boiler room of the railroad's roundhouse near Ruggles street, and was taking a short-cut across the tracks to get home to his dinner when an outward-bound train bore down on him.

He stepped into the path of the inward train and was instantly killed. Soon after his father appeared on the scene and had to be assisted to his home. The boy's mother was waiting dinner for her son and her grief was intense.

F. H. BRIGHAM

Indicted by the Federal Grand Jury

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 28.—F. H. Brigham, the former bookkeeper of the Merchants National bank of this city, was indicted by the federal grand jury today on the charge of misapplication of funds of the bank to the amount of $92,000 and of making false entries in the books of the bank. No bill was found on the charge of conspiracy with unknown parties to defraud the bank.

PERSONALS

Mr. J. H. Fader of Halifax, N. S., has just returned home after a most enjoyable tour of Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Rhode Island. It was Mr. Fader's first trip to the United States and he enjoyed his visit very much. While in Lowell he visited at the home of his son, Mr. W. S. Fader and with Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Lafleur in Seventh street where many pleasant evenings were spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton V. Loud of Lowell will spend the next two weeks in New York and Pennsylvania, visiting various points of interest. They will enjoy a sail down the Hudson to New York city, Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

Miss Georgia Osgood of Laconia, N. H., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Clark Glidden, in Middlesex street for a few days.

Dr. and Mrs. Demosthenes Generalis sailed Saturday for Greece, from New York, on the liner "Martha Washington" of the Greek-Austrian line. They will make their home in Athens henceforth.

Mrs. E. A. Wells has returned from Revere beach where she has been visiting friends.

REP. RILEY

HONORED BY ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY

The Observant Citizen in the Boston Post says:

The Ancient and Honorable Artillery company of Boston will have good and congenial company in the person of Representative Thomas P. Riley of Malden during the command's western trip to Milwaukee the latter part of this month. Mr. Riley, who will accompany the Ancients as their special guest, will respond to the toast "The Commonwealth of Massachusetts," at the big banquet which will be tendered the Boston artillerists in the western city.

Representative Riley is well and favorably known in Lowell among the Knights of Columbus, before whom he lectured early this year. He is a close friend of Rep. Martin F. Conley of this city.

Lowell, Tuesday, Sept. 28

A. G. POLLARD CO.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

Ladies' $1 to $3.50 Kid Gloves at 59c a Pair

At our usual Fall selling of Mended Gloves which begins Thursday, Sept. 30

West Section — North Aisle

At Our SPECIAL LINEN SALE

WE OFFER

Silver Bleach and Cream Linen Damasks, 61 inches wide, at Only 50c a Yard. Regular price 69c.

Silver and Full Bleached Damasks, 70 inches wide, at Only 75c a Yard. Regular price $1.00.

Fine Heavy Satin Damask (full bleached), 70 inches wide, at Only 98c a Yard. Regular price $1.50.

Pure Linen Napkins, 19 inches square, all new patterns, at Only $1.29 a Dozen. Regular price $1.50.

Brown's 22½x22½ Heavy Damask Napkins, at Only $2.75 a Dozen. Regular price $4.00.

Big Huck Towels, at 10c. Regular price 12½c.

Linen Damask and Huck Towels, at 25c Each. Regular price 33c.

Heavy Fringed Towels, at 50c. Regular price 75c.

3000 yards of All Linen Crash, at Only 8c a Yard.

500 yards of Washed Crash, at 12½c. Regular price 15c.

Palmer Street — Left Aisle

New Outing Flannel at Only 8c Yd.

90 pieces are ready today. Dark and light colors, checks, stripes, etc. All the most desirable shades, with a full nap.

Palmer Street — Basement

LATEST

SIX MEN KILLED

In a Rear-end Train Collision at Chicago Today

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—Six men were killed and a dozen seriously injured early today when an outbound panhandle passenger train crashed into the rear end of a Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul stock train at Twelfth and Rockwell streets.

The victims were stockmen who were sleeping in the caboose of the stock train and members of the stock train crew. No persons on the passenger train were injured.

While the accident occurred a few minutes after midnight the stock train was so completely demolished and the victims so mutilated that six hours later only two had been identified. Four cars were telescoped and the wreckage set afire. Many of the injured were rescued from the burning wreckage.

The identified dead are:

H. POTTER, Dion Lake, N. D.

DON SCHLAMGER, Fayette, N. D.

The passenger train was bound for Cincinnati. It was moving rapidly and had just rounded a sharp curve when the engineer sighted the stock train only a few yards in front. After applying the emergency brakes the engineer and fireman leaped from the cab, escaping with no injury. No opportunity for escape was given the sleeping stockmen in the caboose as the sound of the warning whistle was drowned in the crash as the heavy locomotive ploughed through the caboose and three other cars.

Fire added to the terror of the wreck and greatly hampered the work of rescue.

TAFT AND DIAZ

Arrangements Complete for the Meeting of Two Presidents

EL PASO, Texas, Sept. 28.—The official program for the meeting of Presidents Taft and Diaz at El Paso and Juarez was made known yesterday by the war department in a communication to the local committees. Its tone shows the tendency of the two governments to make the affair strictly international and practically all the arrangements are in the hands of the secretary of war. The program consists of two visits by Mr. Taft to Mexico and one visit by Senor Diaz to the United States. No troops of either country will cross the boundary, nor will flags of either nation be carried across the line. In the morning President Diaz will cross the boundary where he will be received by the secretary of war and escorted to President Taft's carriage. The governor of Texas and his staff will accompany the secretary.

President Diaz will be in uniform and Mr. Taft in a dress suit. The party will be driven to the chamber of commerce in El Paso, where the two presidents will confer in privacy.

The Mexican president will then retire to his side of the river under American military escort.

At noon President Taft will cross the river and the program of the morning will be practically repeated. He then will retire to the American side under military escort. In the evening President Taft will go to Juarez, where he will be banqueted.

WATER BOARD

To Improve Water Service at General Hospital

There has been some complaint relative to the water service at the Lowell General hospital and last night the water board granted a hearing to the directors of that institution and it was agreed that something should be done at once to relieve the situation.

President Crowley and Supt. Thomas visited the Lowell General hospital a few days ago and made a personal investigation of the trouble there. It was stated that for the past few months the water was running dirty and rusty in the pipes.

President Crowley and Supt. Thomas found an iron pipe line in one section of the institution, which, it was thought, was to some extent responsible for the trouble and they allowed that if a tin-lined pipe was made to take the place of the other that an improvement would be noted.

President Crowley thought that part of the trouble might have resulted from the six-inch main in Varnum avenue, from which the hospital draws its supply and in an endeavor to remedy this the board offered to lay an eight-inch main in anrVarn avenue.

It was stated that the fire service at the hospital was a bit inadequate at the present time and President Crowley allowed that the putting in of the eight-inch pipe would serve a double purpose. It would improve the water system in that locality and likewise the fire service at the hospital. The board agreed to lay the pipe and work will be begun at once in order that the job will be over with before the coming of the frost.

Other matters of a routine nature were considered by the board.

WIRE DOWN

HIGHLAND CARS WERE HELD UP THIS MORNING.

A trolley wire out [illegible] caused a delay in the Highland district cars service this forenoon, though no damage was done.

LOT OF SECOND HAND FURNITURE for sale. 17 First street. Apply 6 and 7 p. m.

I WILL TAKE A CHILD [illegible] to board and give it good care. Mrs. Williams, R. F. D. No. 2, Kenwood.

NEGRO ARRESTED

Charged With Murder of Osmond

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Joseph Webb, a negro, 40 years of age, of 117 Hill street, New Haven, Conn., was arrested today by central office detectives charged with the murder of John Osmond at Stonecrusher, Conn., on Jan. 4, 1903. Webb admitted his identity and said he was in the vicinity of the murder at the time it was committed but denied any part in it. The New Haven police were notified.

JURY IS CHOSEN

To Try the "Steel" Case

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—The jury which is to try the thirty-three individuals and firms in the steel agreement general conspiracy case in the superior criminal court was completed today. A second and special venire had to be drawn, the first lot of talesmen having been exhausted and a draft of likely jurymen from the streets having previously yielded but ten jurors. These were discharged yesterday and the present jury was selected yesterday and today. The indictments upon which the present case is being tried is based on the alleged general agreement between steel structural firms and agents to defraud the city of Boston. It is expected to consume at least three weeks.

PASTORAL LETTER

HAS BEEN ISSUED TO CATHOLIC PARISHES

PARIS, Sept. 28.—The French episcopate has issued a pastoral letter warning Catholic parents in France that the training in the public schools jeopardizes the faith of their children. The letter condemns especially co-education saying that the promiscuity of the sexes is contrary to morality and "[illegible] civilized people." The [illegible] the [illegible] morally [illegible] [illegible] to unite in prayer [illegible] the faith.

VILLAGES BURNED

Moorish Stronghold in Flames

MADRID, Sept. 28.—The capture of the towns of Nador and Zeluan by the Spanish forces in Morocco is being celebrated here as the virtual end of the war with the Riffs. Dispatches received here from Melilla, Morocco, say that all of the villages in the foothills of Mount Gurugu, which has been the Moorish stronghold are in flames.

FALL OPENING

WINDOW DISPLAY AT MILEY-KELMAN'S STORE

The Miley-Kelman store at 214 Merrimack street has one of the most artistically arranged window displays in the city. Mr. Kelman is certainly an artist as a window trimmer as he conceived the idea of having a distinctly Scotch window display, and it is attracting great attention. The window is trimmed with red and white ribbons, representing a flag, while the shield portion is in blue and is decorated artistically with white bows representing stars. Old Glory is also suspended from the top of the window. The window fixtures show up all the latest designs in Scotch plaids, tackles and ribbons in great profusion. In the rear of the window is a picture showing a battle by the Scotch highlanders [illegible] with every kind of plaid ribbons and plaid articles that would appeal to the lover. In the centre of the window is a statue of Liberty representing the Spirit of Scotch loyalty and a bunch of ribbons in the American flag emblem. The window display is unique and beautiful and it is well worth a visit to see it.

The Miley-Kelman store [illegible] is worth a thousand times more to the patrons, as everything in the furnishing goods line can be found there, such as gloves, [illegible] ties, [illegible] and other articles too numerous to mention.

The Miley-Kelman store is one of the first to [illegible] and to show the public what it has in the [illegible] line. W[illegible] complaints on the part of the public [illegible] presented today.

THE CITY COUNCIL

Took Action on Death of Ex-Mayor Palmer

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS CHOSEN

And Delegation Appointed to Attend the Funeral—Expressions of Sorrow at the Unexpected Death of Mr. Palmer

At a joint special meeting of the city council held last night for the purpose of taking action on the death of former Mayor Charles Dana Palmer the following were appointed a committee on resolutions: Aldermen Stevens and Dexter and Councilmen Spencer, White and Tarrant.

It was voted to send the following delegation to represent the city government at the funeral: Mayor Brown, Aldermen Gray, Adams and Wainwright, and Councilmen Whittet, Butler, Howe and Mahoney.

Mayor Brown presided at the meeting and read an official announcement of the death of Mr. Palmer, eulogizing the deceased as a citizen and a public official.

Every member present at the meeting gave expression to his sorrow at the death of Mr. Palmer, a man who had been so widely esteemed by the citizens of Lowell.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Attendance for the First Two Weeks

The attendance at the public schools for the first two weeks of the school year show that the number of pupils attending this year is on a par with that of last.

The total attendance at the ten grammar schools was 4093 pupils, divided as follows: Butler, 658; Green, 445; Greenhalge, 390; Highland, 561; Abraham Lincoln, 448; Moody, 415; Riverside, 108; Training, 356; Varnum, 350; and Washington, 162.

The total attendance at the 35 primary schools was 8615, divided as follows: Agawam street, 93; Ames street, 101; Billings street, 146; Cabot street, 81; Carter street, 174; Charles street, 148; Central street, 144; Cheever street, 94; Cottage street 98; Cross street, 88; Dover street, 114; Eliot, 135; Franklin, 122; Greenhalge primary, 117; Howard street, 140; High street, 80; Lakeview avenue, 167; Lyon street, 179; Loudon street, 134; Lincoln primary, 86; Laura E. Lee school (Plain street), 195; Morrill, 71; Middlesex street, 89; New Moody, 212; Pine street, 96; Pond street, 93; Powell, 79; Sycamore street, 65; Riverside primary, 102; Training school, primary, 184; Tenth street, 183; West Sixth street, 140; Wood street, 112, and Worthen street, 135.

The total attendance at the kindergarten schools was 393, divided among the eleven schools, as follows: Agawam street, 28; Charles street, 35; Chapel street, 39; Dover, 28; Franklin, 46; Abraham Lincoln, 51; Laura E. Lee (Plain street), 31; Moody, 26; Pawtucket, 37; Pine street, 31, and Varnum, 33.

The schools which did not report on Saturday were the Bartlett grammar and primary; Edson, Pawtucket grammar, and Kirk street primary. Their figures for membership at the close of the first week were: Bartlett grammar 407, and primary, 209; Edson, 409; Pawtucket grammar, 269; and Kirk St. primary, 64. These figures, with the attendance of 1153 at the high school on the 24th, make the total membership in the Lowell schools 11,211.

IN POLICE COURT

Assault Case With Many Witnesses and an Interpreter

Occupied Court's Attention—The Railway Manslaughter Case Put Over — A Careless Father Charged With Neglecting His Child—Other Cases

The case of Joseph Koziel, John Ziola and Wladyslaw Zanofski, charged with assault and battery on Joseph Dynek last Sunday night at 42 Amory street, took up the major portion of this morning's session of the police court. The affair was long and drawn out inasmuch as there were many witnesses and the assistance of an interpreter was required in order to present the case.

Dynek testified that last Sunday night he called at 42 Amory street where he used to board, for the purpose of seeing some friends. While there he met several acquaintances, including two women. He was sitting on a bench with one of the women when one of the defendants suggested that he go home. Witness allowed that he would stay there as long as he wished and his retort led to an argument which later resulted in the assault. Dynek claimed that the three defendants fell upon him and assaulted him.

The testimony of the defendants was a general denial and after the court had summed up the evidence in the case he found Ziola guilty and fined him the costs of court, $8. The other two defendants were discharged.

Alleged Larceny

Nettie M. Saunders, through her counsel, Daniel J. Donahue, entered a plea of not guilty to a complaint charging her with the larceny of a cape valued at $35 and a shawl valued at $45, the property of Elvira E. Gladwin. Mr. Donahue and John J. Harvey, the latter being counsel for the complainant, agreed that the case should go over till Saturday.

It is alleged that the articles mentioned in the warrant were left in a house which the defendant recently hired and is now occupying.

Manslaughter Case

John I'Anson and Thomas Higgins, motorman and conductor of the car of the Boston & Northern Street Railway company which ran into two children in Lakeview avenue several weeks ago and resulted in the death of one and serious injury of the other, were in court this morning for hearing on a charge of manslaughter. The case was called but was continued till October 8.

Case Continued

John Feiera pleaded not guilty to the larceny of a stove valued at $27, the property of Bornstein & Quinn. The case was continued till tomorrow morning.

Neglected His Child

Fred Gilbert was arraigned in court this morning on a complaint charging him with failing to provide for the support of his minor child, Marie Rose. Mrs. Gilbert said that for the past month or so her husband has been away from her and that he has neither contributed towards her support or the support of the child. Gilbert had no excuse to offer other than that he was sick. He failed to account, however, for his leaving his wife and child. He was found guilty and ordered to pay a fine of $20, the money to be paid to his wife.

Case Continued

George Parris, a former resident of this city, was arrested in Woburn yesterday on a warrant charging him with the larceny of a steam organ valued at $25 and a revolver worth $12, the property of John Kausaites. By agreement of counsel, J. Joseph Hennessy for the complainant and James E. O'Donnell for the defendant, the case was continued till Thursday morning.

Court Was Lenient

James J. Kennedy was charged with being drunk and it looked as though he would have to spend the winter at the jail or state farm but Lawyer W. W. Fox stated that the prisoner was a good workman and had worked for his father, and if the court would give the man another chance his father would give him work. Judge Hadley decided that it would be much better for Kennedy to be working than spending the time behind prison bars and gave him a suspended sentence of five months in jail and placed him in the care of the probation officer for one year.

Three Months in Jail

Mary J. Morris, charged with drunkenness, was sentenced to three months in jail. Katherine Cobb was sentenced to the state farm. Michael J. Burns was fined $6 and four first offenders were fined $2 each.

NEW FIRE HOUSE

The Centralville People Want It Opened at Once

No Need of Holding Off Till Election Time—Petition Presented to the Mayor Today

The purchasing agent's department and the department of finds and buildings looked like newly furnished living houses this forenoon. Beds were made and there was [illegible] clothing on every side.

The commotion in these departments was decidedly out of the ordinary and the fuss was all due to the new fire house in West Centralville. Bids [illegible] for the furnishing [illegible] and [illegible] of those who have [illegible] to Commissioner.

It was an unfortunate day for the display of goods, however, as [illegible] clothing and furniture [illegible] well look if for they [illegible] "[illegible] rooms."

Get a Move On

Ex-Alderman Bourbeau and ex-Councilman Gervoy, secretary of the Charlemont union, presented a petition to the mayor this morning asking that the fire house for the West Centralville district be installed at once. The petition in West Centralville [illegible] of the delay and they want [illegible] to get a move on. Chief [illegible] anxious to have [illegible] the house is finished [illegible] necessary to delay the [illegible]

City Hall Closed

[illegible] City hall [illegible] were closed at [illegible] for the [illegible] of Columbus day. [illegible] the [illegible]

Meetings Tonight

[illegible]

CHARGED WITH MURDER

CHICAGO, Sept. 28. When [illegible] Dr. Holdgyne Cronin [illegible] charged with the murder of his [illegible] today [illegible] that the [illegible] suspected. A [illegible] until October was allowed.

COMPANY C WON

Carried Off First Honors in Regimental Rifle Shoot

Company C of Lowell, in a rattling [illegible] carried off first honors in the regimental rifle shoot of the 6th infantry at the range of the Bay State Military Rifle association at Walpole, yesterday, having as close contenders A and K companies the latter the winner in the same of last year. The competition took place under good shooting conditions, there being but little wind and a steady pour.

The teams of the region arrived in the city at an early hour and the Priest executive officer started the contest at the 200-yard distance. At the close of the distance H corporals of Stoneham had the leading score with the nearest teams well bunched. The 300-yard range brought out some good work and closed with the excellent score of 215 to the credit of the team from Lowell. The mid-range (500 yards) was begun under excellent conditions and in spite of a brief shower was shot off rapidly and closed with some fine totals, the aggregate of the three distances giving the state prize to C company, with A and K gathering in the two prizes given by the regiment.

Capt. John H. McMahon of Co. A, 6th infantry, of Wakefield, claims that the tricolor of the 6th regiment, which was awarded to Co. C of Lowell, should have been awarded to the the Wakefield company, as, he says, it defeated Co. C by three points.

Capt. McMahon claims that in the score of Lieut. J. E. Burns of Co C an error was made. He says that Lieut. Burns was credited with a 4 and a 5 at the 500-yard range, whereas the scores should have been a 2 and a 3.

Capt. McMahon and Capt. S. W. Wise, with Sergt. J. H. Keough, visited the butts after the shoot and inspected the targets. At the A target, used by the Lowell company, there was one 2, two 3s, seven 4s and 20 5s, making a total of 136, from which the sighting shots must be deducted, leaving a total of 117.

At target B, also used by Co. C, there was one 2, four 3s, 12 4s, and 13 5s, making a total of 127, which with the sighting shots deducted leaves a total of 104. The total for both targets was 221, instead of 225, making the total score for Co. C 635 and for Co. A 620, which would give the tricolor to Co. A of Wakefield by four points.

Capt. McMahon and Capt. Wise have sent the target to Col. John Caswell, I. G. R. P., who will investigate the matter and give his decision as to who won the tricolor.

In the match Co. C was credited with a total of 642, which with the corrections, would bring it to 635. Co. C led Co. A by three points at the finish, so that Co. A expects to be awarded the tricolor by four points.

At the conclusion the winners were announced by the statistical officers, Lieut. F. M. Kendall and Sergt. Maj. John T. Burke, to be:

Team match, state prize to C company; regimental prizes to A and K respectively, in the order named.

Highest aggregate in the National Rifle association's medal to Sergt. Leary, C, score 70. Highest aggregate for officers to Lieut. Burns, C, score 69, and highest aggregate for enlisted men to Sergt. Leary, C, 70; Sergt. Rogers, A, 68; Q. M.-Sergt. Keough, A 68; 1st Sergt. Hunt, A, 67; Sergt. McMaster, K, 67.

Pistol match for officers—Lieut. Faber, H, Q., 49. Capt. Wise H. Q. 13. Non-commissioned officers—Sergeant Chamberlain, I, 46; Sergt. Rogers, A, [illegible]

Consolation prizes—Sergt. Prescott, [illegible] Pvt. Chansford, H, 65.

Regimental [illegible]—Sergt. Leary, C, 70; [illegible] Burns, C, 69; Lieut. Faber, H'3, [illegible] Wise, H'3, 66; Q. M.-Sergt. Keough, A, 68; Sergt. Rogers, A, 68; 1st Sergt. Hunt, A, 67; Sergt. McMaster, K, 67; Capt. Pearson, H'3, 66; Sergt. Prescott, I, 66; Sergt. Patten, C, 66; Sergt. Prescott, I, 66; Lieut.-Sergt. Cornelius, A, 66; Capt. Pearson, C, 65; Priv. Mansfield, H, 65; Priv. Reid, A, 65; Priv. Burns, C, 65; Priv. Donovan, H, 65; Corp. Hoyt, K, 65; Lieut. Doyle, G, 65; Capt. Gilson, D, 64; Corp. Godfrey, A, 64; Capt. McMahon, A, 64; Sergt. Nowlan, K, 64; Corp. Church, A, 64; Sergt. Perry, H, 64; Sergt. Cox, Hd. 64, Sergt. Payne, F, 64; Lieut. Caraway, E, 61; Priv. Blake, 63.

Team scores:

Company C, Lowell

Lieut. Burns—				
200 yards	3	4	4	5—21
300 yards	4	5	5	4—23
500 yards	5	5	5	5—25—69
Priv. E. L. Burns—				
200 yards	4	3	4	4—19
300 yards	4	4	4	5—21
500 yards	4	4	5	4—21—61
Priv. Myrick—				
200 yards	3	4	4	5—20
300 yards	5	4	4	4—21
500 yards	5	4	5	4 3—21—62
Priv. F. Burns—				
200 yards	4	4	3	4 5—20
300 yards	4	5	5	4—22
500 yards	5	5	5	3 5—23—65
Capt. Pearson—				
200 yards	3	5	4	4—19
300 yards	4	4	5	5 4—22
500 yards	4	5	5	5 3—24—65
Sergt. Patten—				
200 yards	4	4	5	5 4—22
300 yards	4	4	4	5—21
500 yards	4	5	5	4 5—23—67
Priv. Blake—				
200 yards	5	4	3	4 3—19
300 yards	4	4	4	3 4—19
500 yards	5	5	5	5 5—25—63
Sergt. Linscott—				
200 yards	4	4	4	4 4—20
300 yards	5	4	4	4 4—21
500 yards	5	5	4	4 3—21—62
Sergt. Leary—				
200 yards	5	4	4	4 5—22
300 yards	5	5	4	4 5—23
500 yards	5	5	5	5 5—25—70
Sergt. Berry—				
200 yards	4	2	4	3 4—17
300 yards	5	4	4	4 5—22
500 yards	3	4	5	4 4—20—59
Total				228
Total at 200 yards				199
Total at 300 yards				215
Total				642

COMPANY K, LOWELL (Second)

	Yards 200	300	500	T'tl
Lieut. McMaster	22	23	23	68
Sergt. Colly	20	18	24	62
Capt. Greig	18	22	23	63
Corp. Hoyt	21	21	23	65
Priv. Dana	17	20	23	60
Priv. Mountain	19	19	22	60
Sergt. Kuschaine	17	20	23	60
Cook Houston	20	21	22	63
Sergt. Nowlan	20	21	23	64
Sergt. McMaster	22	21	24	67
Totals	196	206	230	632

COMPANY G, Lowell (Eighth)

Corp. Church	19	23	22	64
Priv. Cotterall	15	17	21	53
Sergt. Barnes	18	15	23	56
Priv. McCloskin	18	18	16	52
Priv. Barnes	15	16	18	49
Lieut. Doyle	20	23	22	65
Priv. Baker	17	17	20	54
Priv. Crowell	18	18	20	56
Sergt. Carlson	16	20	23	59
Sergt. Roberts	12	20	18	50
Totals	168	187	203	558

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216 Central Street.

PRESCOTT STREET

IN DEPLORABLE CONDITION AFTER THE RAIN.

Prescott street was a puddle this morning as the result of the continued rains, and all who had business on the street were kept busy dodging the mud and dirty water thrown about by the horses' hoofs. But Prescott street is taking on a great boom. Notice the new glass fronts.

200 DELEGATES

At Convention of W. C. T. U. in Manchester

MANCHESTER, Sept. 28.—Two hundred delegates representing branches of the Women's Christian Temperance union in New Hampshire were present when the state convention was opened in this city today. The convention will be in session three days and will be addressed by many prominent temperance advocates. The interest in the convention was centered today upon the movement to have the union give its unqualified endorsement to a [illegible] in favor of the prohibitory law in New Hampshire.

IMPORTANT WALL PAPER NOTICE

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NELSON'S COLONIAL DEPARTMENT STORE

FOURTH FLOOR

EXPLORER COOK

Says That His Instruments Are Not Lost

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—"My instruments are not lost; I am sure of that," said Dr. Cook in a further interview with the Associated Press yesterday. "I shall have them brought here. My Eskimos are at Etah and they know the value of the instruments although they do not understand how to use them. They have a kind of sacred regard for them and will take good care of them. If I had known what I know now I should not have left either records or instruments at Etah. Mr. Whitney told me and fully believed his ship was going to that place and he advised me to leave my things in his care to be brought to New York on board his ship where they would not be jolted so much as in a long sledge journey over the rough land ice to Uppernavik. I did not think at any moment of having them forwarded on the Peary ship. If I had not met Mr. Whitney I should not have taken them on the sledge with me to Uppernavik. As to the incident of the American flag which I had hoisted temporarily at the pole and then brought back to Etah with me I gave Mr. Whitney it at his special request. He had it in his private trunk when he went on board the Roosevelt, but he was not, according to his own statement, permitted to bring it with him. He was compelled to take it out of the trunk and bury it."

Asked what he thought of Peary's action Dr. Cook said:

"I prefer to wait. If Peary had been in need of anything in Etah he could have anything of mine. I gave Mr. Whitney instructions to turn over any of my things to Peary or any white man who required them and when he came away to give them to my Eskimos."

On the question of his equipment Dr. Cook was very emphatic that he possessed all that was necessary. The statement that the condition of his boots would show whether he had been to the pole brought the reply:

"We used Eskimo sealskin kamiks. When the first pair were worn out we gave them to the dogs to eat when we reached Jones sound and there made new ones. These also were worn out and we made others with which we returned to Etah. When we arrived there the boots were comparatively new. We built our own sledges at Annatok. One of my sledges was given to Mr. Whitney."

When the subject of his relations with Peary was touched upon Dr. Cook said:

"I have never had any trouble with Lieut. Peary and cannot explain his attitude. I expect to meet him when he returns but whether I shall go to see him or whether he will come to me I cannot say. I am prepared to meet any charges he will formulate over his signature."

JEWELRY STOLEN

Burglars Got Away With $7500 Worth of Gems

PROVIDENCE, Sept. 28.—The police of this city today made public the fact that two cottages at Long Meadow, outside of the city, were entered yesterday, the burglars escaping with $500 in cash and jewelry valued at $7500. At the summer home of Fred B. Horton of this city all the jewelry was secured with $400 in money. The remainder of the money was stolen from the summer cottage of Frank P. Marsh of this city. The burglars evidently were frightened away from the Marsh house by some noise before they had completed their work as there was considerable jewelry in the house which they did not touch.

AWARD CONTRACT

For the New Auto Protective

The Knox Automobile Mfg. Co. has been awarded the contract, to furnish the new auto protective wagon in Warren street. The contract was given out from the mayor's office yesterday afternoon after a long conference between the mayor and the chief of the department of supplies. There were also present representatives of several other automobile firms.

HARRY GONZALES

RETURNED WITH HIS WIFE FROM MAINE

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gonzales have returned from Maine, where they have been visiting the past two weeks. Both are natives of Maine, Harry claiming Ellsworth as his birthplace while Mrs. Gonzales was born in Brooklyn, Me. During their trip they visited both places and were royally received by their old time neighbors. They also took a run over to Bar Harbor and enjoyed themselves immensely. Harry armed with his favorite fishing tackle had some sport with the fishes and succeeded in landing a six and one-half pound salmon, the first he ever caught. He also went deep sea fishing and had his usual fine luck.

LOSS IS $20,000

Moulton Mill Destroyed by Fire

GARDINER, Me., Sept. 28.—By the destruction of the Moulton lumber mill yesterday the town of Randolph loses its only industry owned by home capital. The mill, with 50,000 feet of lumber, 75,000 shingles and valuable machinery was destroyed. The loss is estimated at $20,000, only about $2000 of which is covered by insurance.

The fire is thought to have originated from a hot box. The burning of the mill will throw 20 men out of employment. The owners of the mill are Joseph and Warren S. Moulton and heirs of the Oliver Moulton estate.

CHELMSFORD.

Amos F. Adams, donor of the Adams library, has presented the library a portrait of himself which the trustees formally accepted at a meeting held yesterday. The picture will be hung in the trustees' room. The secretary was instructed to forward the thanks of the trustees to the donor of the gift.

JURY DECIDES

Woman Was Not of Sound Mind

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—A supreme court jury before Judge Braley yesterday decided that Anna L. Shaw, a maiden lady who lived at 30 Mellen street, Dorchester, and who died, aged 85, in April last, was not of sound mind at the time of the execution of her will, and that the instrument was procured through undue influence. This verdict, if it stands, breaks the will. The case was that of Isaac Riley et als., executors against Maria S. Eayrs, a sister of the testatrix, who is also of advanced age.

Anna L. Shaw left an estate valued at from $16,000 to $17,000. In her will she provided for the payment of $8000, approximately, to her relatives, and left the balance to Mrs. Lillian M. Nelson, who had been her friend for many years and had entered into an agreement to provide and care for the testatrix and her invalid sister, Sarah E. Shaw, for life.

After a hearing in the probate court Judge George allowed the will. Objections were made there to the allowance of the instrument on the ground of incompetency and undue influence. The case then went to the supreme court on the appeal of Mrs. Eayrs.

The issues presented to the jury were:

"Was Anna L. Shaw, deceased, of sound mind at the time of the execution of the instrument offered for probate as her last will and testament?"

"Was the execution of said instrument procured through the undue influence of Lillian M. Nelson and Rizpah L. Learned, or either of them?"

To the first question the jury answered "No," and to the second question the answer was "Yes."

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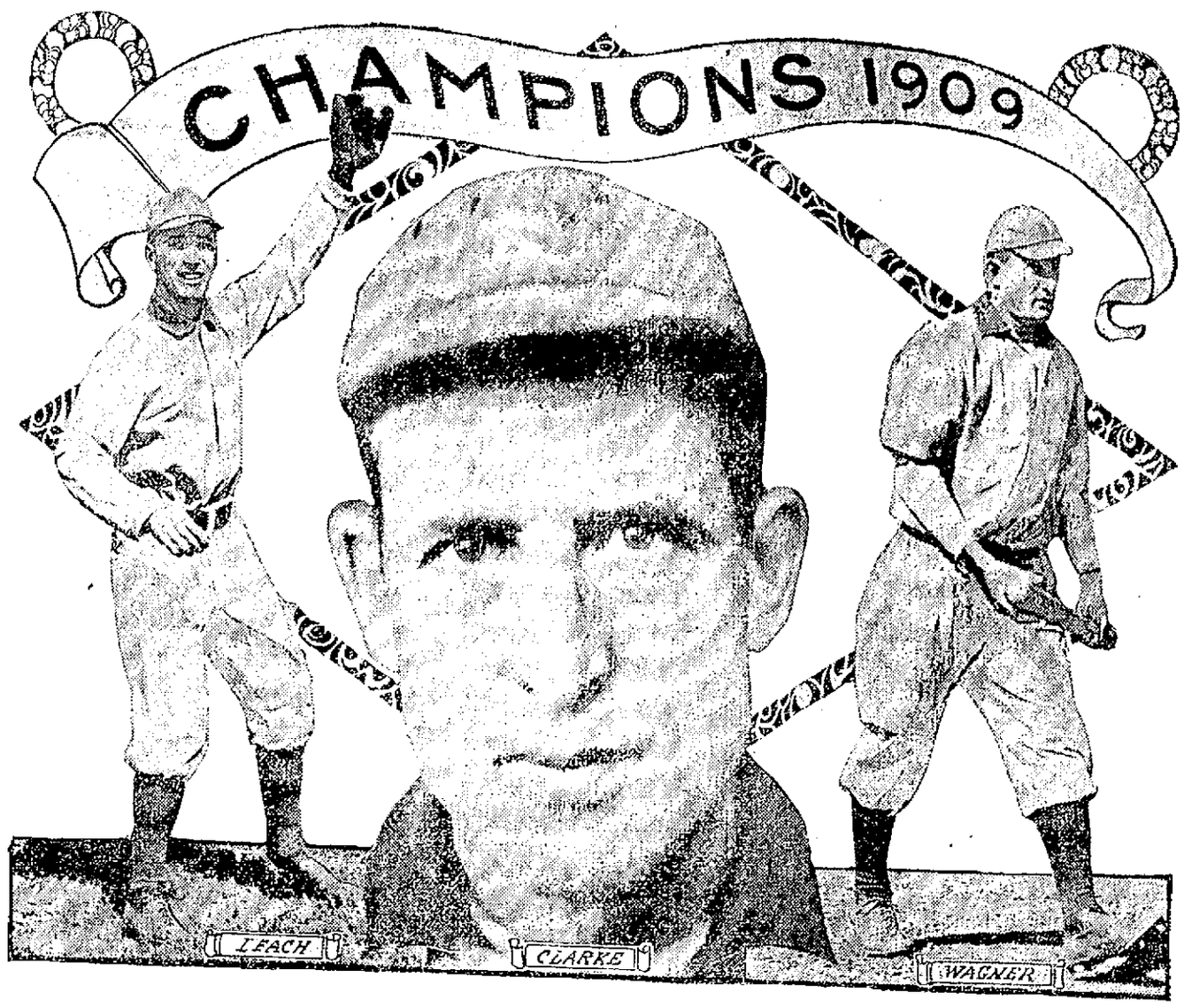
If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

FRED CLARKE, WHO PILOTS PITTSBURGS TO CHAMPIONSHIP-- MIGHTY HANS WAGNER AND TOM LEACH, TWO OF HIS STARS



NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—One need not necessarily consider baseball statistics to figure out why the Pittsburg club leads the National league and practically has the pennant won. The best examples of inside baseball seen this season have been put up by the Pirates. Manager Fred Clarke, a past master of this most essential quality in baseball, has proved himself one of the greatest leaders in the history of the game. Clarke developed and made championship timber of several players who looked at the beginning of the season no better than third raters. He is a fighter, headier, probably than nearly any other manager today, and as a guesser he has displayed the rarest skill in hair raising contests with the Cubs and Giants. Clarke has been manager of the Pittsburg club for ten years. In that time the club has never finished out of the first division, winning three consecutive pennants, finishing second three times, third once, fourth once and being tied with New York for second place last season. The pennant of 1909 on top of such a record as that places Clarke in a position alone as a baseball leader. The Pirates lead in club batting, are supreme in fielding and are far in the lead in the matter of long hits. Mighty Hans Wagner, though closely pressed by Seymour of New York, leads the batters of the league, as usual. Clarke and Leach are among the ten best sluggers. In the pitching department the Pittsburgs also excel. Camnitz, Frock, Willis, Leever, Phillippi, Lifield and Maddox are among the leading 15 twirlers in the National league.

EXCITING GAMES

Detroit and Philadelphia Were Both Defeated

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—New York and Detroit were to have faced each other in two engagements yesterday afternoon, but on account of a slight rain fall only one game was played.

This the locals won 4 to 1, although Willet allowed them only three singles, all of which were scratches. These three safeties, however, were grouped with two steals, a hit batsman, a wild pitch and an error. Detroit made five singles off Warhop, who was invincible at critical times.

The score:

New York	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	*	—4
Detroit	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Batteries: Bair and Warhop; Schmidt and Willet.

CLEVELAND WON

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.—Cleveland defeated Philadelphia yesterday by 5 to 4. The last six innings were played in a drizzling rain which made the ball hard to control.

The score:

Cleveland	0	1	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	—5
Philadelphia	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	—4

Batteries: Upp, Otis, Winchell and Easterly; Coombs, Krause and Lapp.

In the other games Chicago defeated Washington by a score of 8 to 1 while the Boston St. Louis game was postponed owing to the unfavorable weather. A double header is scheduled for today.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Detroit	94	52	64.4
Philadelphia	91	54	62.8
Boston	85	60	58.6
Chicago	73	72	.503
New York	69	75	47.9
Cleveland	70	77	47.6
St. Louis	60	84	41.7
Washington	39	107	26.7

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS

At Boston—Boston-St. Louis game postponed—rain.

At New York—New York 4, Detroit 1. (Other game postponed—rain.)

At Philadelphia—Cleveland 7, Philadelphia 4.

At Washington—Chicago 8, Washington 1.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Pittsburg	106	37	74.1
Chicago	97	46	67.8
New York	86	56	60.6
Cincinnati	73	71	50.7
Philadelphia	69	74	48.2
St. Louis	49	94	34.0
Brooklyn	50	93	35.0
Boston	39	102	27.7

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS

At Pittsburg—(First game) Pittsburg 8, New York 1. (Second game) New York 8, Pittsburg 7.

At Cincinnati—(First game) Cincinnati 1, Brooklyn 3. (Second game) Cincinnati 3, Brooklyn 1, (called end of 8th—darkness.)

At Chicago—Chicago 4, Philadelphia 1.

GAMES TODAY

American League

St. Louis at Boston.
Detroit at New York.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Washington.

National League

Boston at St. Louis.
New York at Pittsburg.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.

AMATEUR BASEBALL.

The Dixwells defeated the Dragons in a very exciting game by the score of 8 to 4. This was the second straight game in a series of three games.

The Dixwells batted hard all through the game, getting two home runs and three triples. The work of Wheeler was too much for the Dragons' batters.

A meeting of the City league is asked for Wednesday evening at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. on Hurd street. Every captain and manager is asked to be present. Over 180 boys are entitled to the baseball banquet which is to be served to every registered player in the league, the date of which is to be settled at this meeting.

BOXING GOSSIP.

Ketchel and Johnson have begun hard training for their much talked of fight at Colma on October 12. Ketchel got on the scales Saturday at his quarters and weighed 182 pounds. He said that he intended to "build up" and hoped to weigh a trifle under 180 when he enters the ring. He seemed to be very confident of success and in answer to queries declared that nothing was the matter with his hands. Ketchel's friends believe that he will make a rushing fight from the start, as he believes he will be strong enough and can hit with sufficient power to beat down Johnson's defence and inflict severe punishment. When somebody called Ketchel's attention to Kaufman's poor showing with Johnson the other day he declared that Kaufman was not only a "third rater," but also a "Dutch quitter." "If Kaufman had been a fearless man" continued Ketchel, "he would have mixed so fiercely that Johnson would have backed up under fire. When I tackle the negro there'll be a different kind of game and you'll see him driven to the ropes on the defensive. All I want is one punch. I can knock his head off if I land on the jaw, and I can double him up helpless with a smash in the stomach. Johnson cannot hurt me and I'll prove that beyond a doubt in the first three or four rounds." Johnson laughed when he heard of Ketchel's remarks and said:

"Stanley is a nice little fellow with a swelled head. It's a shame to put him out, but I need his $2500 side bet and the long end of the price. You can bet your money that he will be stopped in less than twelve rounds."

MAKING REPAIRS

ON WALK AT EAST MERRIMACK ST. CANAL BRIDGE

The pathway over the canal bridge in East Merrimack street is going to be safe. Repairs on one side were finished some time ago, and yesterday the Massachusetts company, with the aid of some employes from the Locks and Canals Co., started on the other side, and in a few days both walks will be in fine condition.

GRAND CIRCUIT

T. W. Murphy Lands Two More Winners

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Sept. 28.—T. W. Murphy added two to his list of grand circuit victories yesterday, when, with weather conditions unfit for fast time, he won trots with Inner Guard and Alice Roosevelt.

Inner Guard's victory was an easy one, although Marie N. got the final heat in new record time for her. The finish was close between Geer's mare and Inner Guard. The judges set Inner Guard back to last position as a penalty for changing from the pole to mid the track in the stretch.

Alice Roosevelt, like Inner Guard, was favorite for the 2.13 trot. Dulce Jay beat them all in the first two heats, and was thought to have the race won. In the third heat while scoring, he was erratic and broke just after the start. He had to hurry to escape being distanced, and did not go well in either the fourth or the fifth heats.

Iris, driven by Walter Cox, was not bothered in making the 2.18 pace a straight heat affair. Evelyn Patchen, winner of second money, unseated Driver Dick Wilson and ran away for a quarter of a mile. After being caught, she was brought back and was really the only contender Iris had. The summaries:

2.09 class trotting, 3 heats, purse $1200.

Inner Guard, b g, by Guardsman, Murphy	1	1	9
Marie N., b m, by Marlengo-King, Geers	7	5	1
Kenyon W., blk s, Kenyon	2	2	6
Nancy Royce, blk m, McCarthy	4	6	2
Beatrice Bellini, blk m, Dickerson	5	3	4
Gentral H., br s, Snow	3	4	5
Brace Girdle, b m, McMahon	9	7	3
Ruby Clay, b m, Hogan	6	8	7
Harry Banring, b g, Burns	8	9	8
Judge Lee, c h, Lassell	dis.		

Time—2.10; 2.11¼; 2.08¾.

2.13 class trotting, 3 in 5, purse $1200.

Alice Roosevelt, ch m, by The Searcher, Murphy	3	2	1	1	2
Dulce Jay, ro h, by Jay Bird, Dean	1	1	10	4	4
Martha Dillon, b m, by Sidney Dillon, Sanders	4	3	4	2	1
Joanie Constantine, b m, Grady	2	10	2	3	3
Montell, b h, McMahon	10	4	3	ro	
Beauty Wright, b m, Chandler	5	7	6	ro	
Borealis, br m, Turner	8	9	5	ro	
Lawretta, b m, Crist	9	5	9	ro	
Robert L., Jr., b g, Stelle	6	6	7	ro	
Royal Penn, b h, Ludwig	7	8	8	ro	
Ann Direct, blk m, Curtis	dis.				

Time—2.12¼; 2.10½; 2.12½; 2.12½; 2.13.

2.18 class pacing, 3 in 5, purse $1200.

Iris, b m, by Island Wilkes, Cox	1	1	1
Evelyn Patchen, b m, Wilson	11	2	3
Mary Dillon, b m, Sanders	2	10	5
Gus B., b g, Patterson	7	9	2
Morcal, Jr., b s, B. Stokes	3	3	8
Hazel B., so m, Benadum	10	4	4
Pat Haynes, br g, Sweeney	4	7	9
Margaret Frey, b m, Niles	5	8	6
Anda H., blk h, Hill	9	5	7
Brother Direct, b h, Nuchols	6	6	dr
Barney O'Conner, b g, Major	8	11	dr
Chaplain Rose, b g, McCarthy	dis.		

Time—2.07¾; 2.09½; 2.09.

WAR DECLARED

POSTAL SAVINGS BANK BATTLE IS ON

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—New memberships received by the Postal Savings Bank league since the American Bankers' association declared open war upon the postal savings bank measure, indicate that the crucial fight in congress next winter between the banks against this measure and the people for it will find a formidable membership enlisted, to make organized, united demand for the enactment of the bill. Letters received from both men and women, inquiring how they can aid in the fight, show the public awake to the situation, growing indignant and ready to take up the gauge of battle thrown down by the money power.

In preparation for enrolling for a big public membership, the league headquarters will be removed from the First National bank building to the Rand, McNally building, October 1. Assurances of co-operation and support are pouring in from important newspapers, magazines and other publications, and the centralization of public sentiment is urged by both democratic and republican forces. Campaign literature, speakers and documents are to be used.

In Chicago, both the Tribune, Record-Herald and Examiner have taken up the fight vigorously. The Tribune in an editorial headed "Bankers, a Warning," has pointed out that the American Bankers' association should shrewdly heed the handwriting on the wall, and prepare gracefully to accept the action of congress, inevitable in response to a plain determination by the public; that opposition would breed a whirlwind.

The contention of the American Bankers' association that this governmental stimulus to the thrift of the nation "is uneconomic," has met a very chilly reception. The failure of the association to agree on a substitute provision of any kind has left the obvious need of an auxiliary to the present banking facilities unprovided for by the bankers. Even in the New England states, savings bank facilities are found unequal to the needs of the people who wish to save.

One investigator for the Postal Savings Bank league has reported that he finds Bristol, Me., with a population of 3000 and 10 post offices. The nearest savings bank is twenty miles distant. There are 400 post offices in Maine, but there are 12 savings banks. In the towns and cities which have savings banks there are found to be only 250,000 of the 700,000 inhabitants of the state.

Mayor Edward W. Hooker, of Hartford, has written to the league: "I do not agree with our savings bank officers that a national system of savings will hurt them in the least, but they seem to look at the matter in what to me is a selfish way, and feel that the postal savings bank would hurt their business. I earnestly hope that your efforts will be successful, as I believe the postal bank would be a great benefit to the entire country, and would also be a benefit to this institution."

A bulletin issued by the league over the signature of George H. Cartier, chairman of the executive committee and the publisher of "Woman's World," the magazine of the largest circulation in the world, declares: "Not in years has there been an issue before the American people that was so clear cut as this, the people against the banks. We must organize, for united we stand, divided we fall' expresses the need in the face of the opposition."

WARDWELL LOST

Republican Leader Defeated by Nason

PEABODY, Sept. 28.—Representative Arthur L. Nason of Haverhill, who won a majority of the delegates to the 4th Essex republican senatorial convention at last Tuesday's caucuses came here yesterday at the head of his 27 delegates, personally saw to it that there was no slip-up in the program to nominate him for the senate, and then quietly superintended the political interment of J. Otis Wardwell as a candidate for state committeeman, naming J. Franklin Batchelder as Wardwell's successor on the state committee. Batchelder got 27 and Wardwell 17 votes for state committeeman.

The entire job took just an hour, and it was done with an alacrity and dispatch that almost took away the breath of the old-timers in the convention and the corridors of the town hall, where the convention was held.

Wardwell, accompanied by Postmaster Hoyt of Haverhill and W. W. Lufkin, Congressman Gardner's secretary, was on hand, as he said with a childish curiosity, to see the shingle with which he was to receive his spanking.

Nason and his folowers insisted that it was Wardwell's funeral. "Well," said the latter, "if it is, I just want to show Essex county people what a smiling, goodnatured corpse they are burying," and he entered his automobile to return home, after hearing of his defeat for the state committee by Batchelder.

Two of Nason's Haverhill delegates, Ex-Postmaster Pinkham and J. W. Burnham, voted for Wardwell. His other votes came from the friends of Samuel L. Porter of Amesbury and C. H. Goulding of this town, both of whom were candidates for the senatorial nomination in the caucuses.

Wardwell has been a member of the republican state committee for 25 years and was for many years on the executive committee.

NO GRADUATIONS

Somerville School Board Would Abolish Them

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—The recommendation that graduation exercises for the grammar schools of Somerville be abandoned and that all extravagance in dress or unnecessary expenditure by pupils on the occasion of graduation exercises of the high schools be frowned upon, was the report of a special committee made at last evening's meeting of the Somerville school board.

The special committee was appointed last May to consider the matter. At that time and before the appointment of the committee a majority of the members of the board expressed their views, each one taking a stand in opposition to graduation exercises for the grammar schools. Members of the board felt that there were many parents who could ill afford to satisfy the demands of girl graduates, and yet they felt compelled to make the sacrifice for dress, carriage, gloves and flowers in order that their children should suffer no humiliation.

On motion of Dr. Curtis, chairman of the committee, the report was laid on the table for a month in order to give parents an opportunity to express their views on the proposed changes.

U. S. BUNTING CLUB BANQUET

The annual banquet of the U. S. Bunting Cricket and Athletic club will be held at the club house on October 16, and is expected to eclipse anything of the kind in the history of the club.

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"I passed examinations for government situations but was finally rejected at the medical examinations. After three attempts to enlist in the British army I succeeded at last but was discharged on account of my eczema. The disease was confined to face, arms and legs, my face being actually raw at times. I came to America thirteen years ago, but my face became worse, if possible. When in New York City I was advised to go to —— Hospital, whence I was sent to the —— Hospital in Brooklyn. I was put under the care of Professor —— but this also added to the number of unsuccessful attempts. I returned home to England and tried the —— Hospital, Liverpool, the —— Hospital, London, also the world-famed London —— Hospital, but without getting cured. I came back to America five years ago. I had overlooked the Cuticura Remedies dozens of times, but three months ago I decided to give Cuticura a trial and I can safely say I am cured of one of the most torturing skin diseases a man ever had. Richard Curley, New Canaan, Conn., Jan. 10, '09."

"I am familiar with Mr. Curley's case and his cure and believe his statement to be true. John F. Burke, New Canaan, Conn."

NOTE.—All the names left blank are given in full in Mr. Curley's letter.

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Young Baseball Players In the Limelight This Season

By TOMMY CLARK.

THE day of the young baseball player has arrived. No longer is it necessary for him to sit on a bench for a few months or a whole season soaking up big league knowledge before being allowed to become a regular. No longer need the recruit kotow to the veteran and feel grateful if the star of ten years condescends to speak well of his work. The youngster is here to stay now, and the old timer, the tried and not found wanting veteran, has to hustle to keep his job nowadays.

The young ball player of today seems to know more about the game than the minor league recruit of a few years ago. The youngsters are brainier players than the newcomers of a few years back. This was proved during the present season. In the American league winter dope Washington looked stronger than Philadelphia, New York and Boston for the reason that Cantillon had a team composed of experienced players, while the other three clubs seemed too largely experimental. The youngsters who appear in the Boston, Philadelphia and New York uniforms have weathered the season strong. A few of them have found the pace too strenuous, but the majority are in fast company to stay.

The Pittsburgs owe much of their success this season to youngsters who were picked up last winter and who are now playing their first engagement under the Pirate banner. The success of the team is a tribute to the newcomers with whom Manager Clarke was forced to experiment in the spring.

When the teams lined up for the fight last April the general opinion was that the Pirates would not stand the pace because of the experiments. It was pointed out by many critics that a team with a new first, second and third baseman, besides a changed outfield, could scarcely expect to cope with an aggregation of tried and true veterans, the Chicago Cubs. But the Pittsburg team has stood the gaff. The youngsters proved that they are of the right material.

This has been especially evident in the games against the Cubs and Giants, of which the Pirates have won the big majority.

Bill Abstein had never played a major league game until this season. He was with the Pirates several years ago, but he was turned over to Providence without a trial, Manager Clarke sizing him up as a comer who needed more experience before he would be ripe for big league plucking.

Jack Miller, the second sacker, is a mere boy in years. He has had only a couple of years' experience in any kind of league and never had a trial in fast company until he joined the Pirates last spring. He is one of the marvels of the age.

Chief Wilson is another youngster who has made good for Clarke. Of course he was on the team last year, but early in the season he was not considered good enough for a regular berth. He improved right along, however, and today there is no better outfielder in the business than the husky Texan.

Much of Detroit's showing has been due to the clever work of Bush and Stanage. The Tigers got the latter to help out Schmidt, and he has helped himself to Schmidt's job as first catcher of the league champions. He is surely one of the real finds of the season. Bush has played a sensational game at short since his debut into fast company. Manager Jennings says that in another year he will be the leading short fielder of the league.

Brooklyn has one of the real finds of the season in Third Baseman Eddie Lennox. The latter made good at the start. Besides playing a gilt edged fielding game he has swatted the ball like a Wagner. The club also seems to have another find in George Hunter, a rattling good left handed pitcher, a good hitter, fast base runner and clever fielder—a good all around youngster.

Austin and Demmitt are probably sure of jobs with the New York Americans for some time. Demmitt is a hard and Austin a tricky hitter. The former is a fast outfielder with a great whip, and Austin is a brilliant infielder.

The Boston Americans have quite a number of good young ball tossers—namely, Speaker, Carrigan, Woods, Hooper and Arellanes. Of the five Speaker is the best. He comes near being another Ty Cobb. He is a wonderful fielder, a skilled and daring base runner and a dangerous hitter. Like Cobb, he bats left handed, and he is as much of a kid as Cobb was when he broke in.

In Collins and Krause Philadelphia has two players who have helped make baseball history this year. The former led the American league in batting for a time this season. He is a speedy base runner and a capable third sacker. Krause is the one young pitcher who has attracted the attention of the big leagues this year. He became a big leaguer the moment he put on a uniform. He has had one fluky defeat in twelve games.

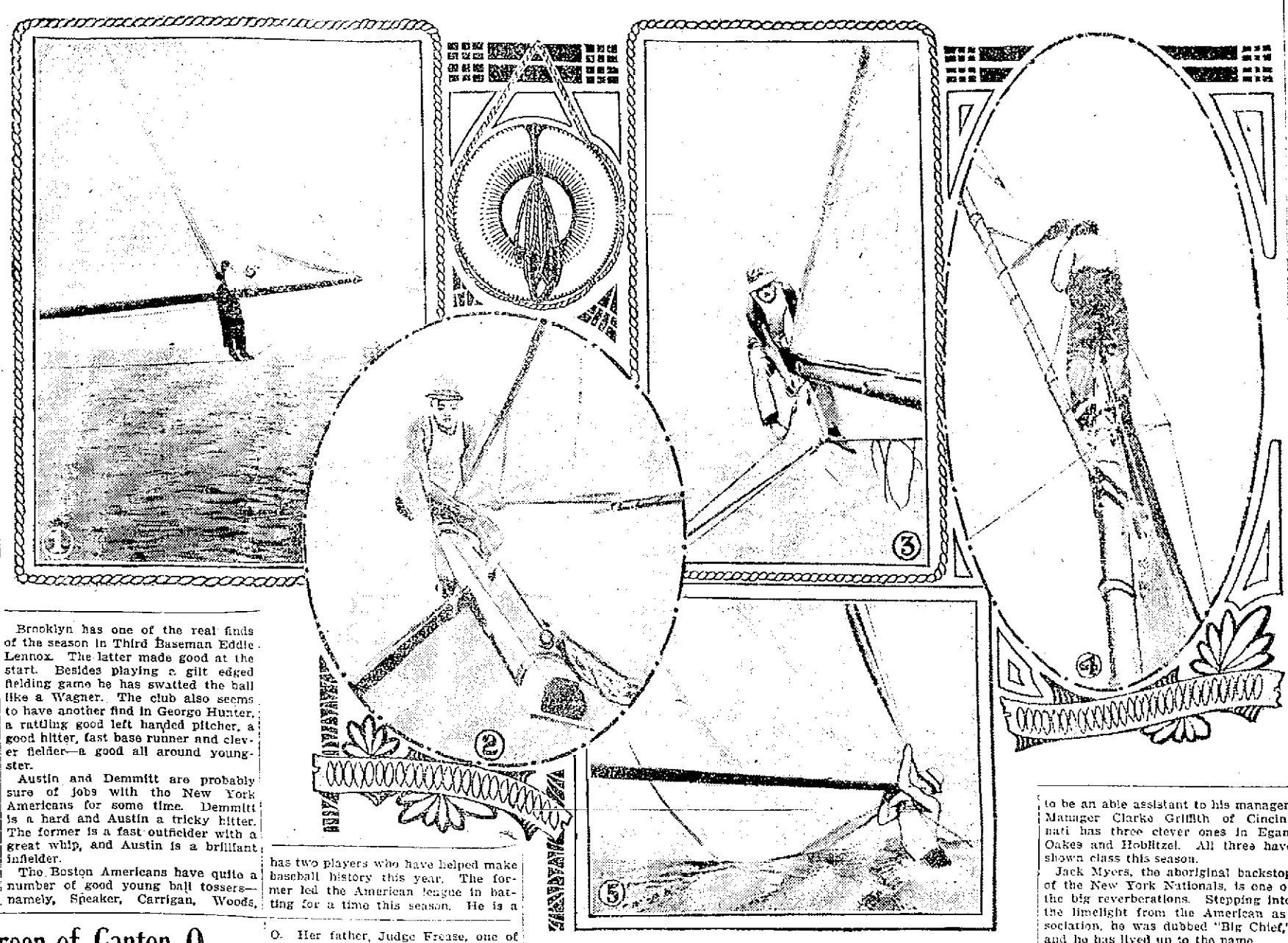
The Chicago Nationals obtained a star in Catcher Archer. He was knocked about the big leagues like a rag doll until the time came when the Cubs had to have a catcher. Kling had joined the "holdouts," and Moran could not do all of it. Detroit and one or two other major league clubs had had Archer, given him only a half try out, because they had good catchers, and turned him back. Chance dropped off the train in Buffalo one day, saw him work and got him.

The Cubs used him regularly because they had to, and he is now rated as one of the best catchers in the league. When Billy Sullivan was made manager of the Chicago Americans he had to get another backstop. And he got Owens. The young catcher has proved to be an able assistant to his manager. Manager Clarke Griffith of Cincinnati has three clever ones in Egan, Oakes and Hoblitzel. All three have shown class this season.

Jack Myers, the aboriginal backstop of the New York Nationals, is one of the big reverberations. Stepping into the limelight from the American association, he was dubbed "Big Chief," and he has lived up to the name.

Snapshots Showing Some of the Dangers of Yacht Racing

In photo No. 1 is shown a yachtsman in a dangerous position out on the spinnaker boom while underway. The temporary nature of the spinnaker boom renders it necessarily unsteady, and a man is likely to be thrown off into the water. No. 2 shows a seaman out on the bowsprit adjusting the jib down haul while the yacht is lunging into a heavy, rushing sea. No. 3 reveals the yachtsman out on the end of the boom, stretching the mainsail out while under way. The swinging of the big spar is a constant menace. No. 4 illustrates the safe mode of standing while aloft to make repairs. No. 5 shows the highly dangerous task of effecting the proper adjustment of a huge, bellying spinnaker while under way. The daring yachtsman, who is L. DeB. Handley, the famous swimmer of the New York Athletic club, has been thrown into the water from the end of the swaying spinnaker boom of the swift racing sloop Crescent, with which he has won many races.



Mrs. Rachel Frease-Green of Canton, O., Who Has Scored In Grand Opera Abroad

The operatic tide has turned. Coal is being carried to Newcastle. American singers are singing in Europe. In Berlin, Vienna, Dresden, Munich, Paris and London opera houses resound with music from American throats.

One of the most notable successes achieved by operatic aspirants in recent years is that of a young American singer, Rachel Frease-Green, who has been engaged to appear in Berlin during the coming season in the roles of Elvira in "Ernani," Martha in "Martha," Endora in "La Juive," the queen in "Zauberflote," Rosinae in "Barbiere de Seviglia," Elvira in "Don Giovanni," Violetta in "Traviata," Gilda in "Rigoletto," the queen in "Les Huguenots" and Mathilde in "William Tell."

Mrs. Frease-Green made her debut at Covent Garden, London, last winter as Sieglinde in "The Valkyrie" and as Eva in "The Meistersinger." The London critics looked with doubt on the advisability of intrusting such important roles to a "beginner," but were roused to a unanimous and unwonted enthusiasm by Mrs. Frease-Green's performances, characterizing them as the most auspicious and promising debut ever made at Covent Garden and heartily confirming the good judgment and discernment of the operatic management and of the conductor, Dr. Hans Richter.

Although Mrs. Frease-Green's pronounced success at Covent Garden was made in Wagnerian roles, critics say that her voice has even greater possibilities in coloratura roles, and it is in the latter that she will sing in Berlin.

Mrs. Frease-Green is from Canton, O. Her father, Judge Frease, one of the pioneers of the Ohio bar when he went on the bench, was succeeded by William McKinley, then a struggling young lawyer, as law partner of Judge George W. Belden, Mrs. Green's maternal grandfather. Mrs. Green was one of the young folks by whom the president and his wife liked to be surrounded, and in the informal little gatherings which made up much of the social life of the president and his wife she was frequently called upon by them to sing and encouraged to give free rein to her singing ambitions. The last occasion was just a few days before the Buffalo tragedy, when President McKinley prophesied flatteringly for the young singer's future and earnestly advised for her a musical career. Two weeks later she sang at his funeral service and six years afterward at the funeral of Mrs. McKinley.

For several years Mrs. Frease-Green was church and concert soloist in New York, Pittsburg and Cleveland. She has studied chiefly with Jean De Reszke in Paris, who had her sing for Adelina Patti and with Marchesi.

Hawkshaw, the Detective, Invades the Stage In New Clothes and Settings.

[From Our New York Dramatic Correspondent.]

THE stage sleuth has come into new prominence on the American stage. The latter day prototypes of the famous Hawkshaw, the detective, and of Sherlock Holmes and all the various "mysterious misters" are in some particulars equally fascinating and illuminative.

Hattie Williams began the new stage detective era by appearing at the Garrick theater in "Detective Sparkes," an original comedy by Michael Morton. Then followed "Arsene Lupin" at the Lyceum theater, a dramatization of the French detective story of the same title, by Francis de Croissett and Maurice Le Blanc, which ran more than a year in Paris.

The scheme of "Detective Sparkes" opens with a scandal in London society. The newspapers of England are filled with an extraordinary balloon mystery. A lady and gentleman, suspected to be members of England's best set, have been wrecked while ballooning. The owner of the balloon is known to be Jack Lawton, but whether he occupied the balloon when it was wrecked and the identity of the female occupant are unknown. The disappearance of the passengers of the wrecked balloon has the kingdom in a hubbub. Newspapers offer a reward for the identity and location of the occupants, and reporters, Scotland Yard men and sleuths, amateur and professional, scour the country for a clew to the mystery, but the nearest any one can come to solving the difficulty is the finding of a brooch in the basket of the balloon.

The brooch is of a unique design, such as no jeweler in London can match, and the location of its owner is sure to disclose the identity of the woman who occupied the balloon.

Mysterious Detective Sparkes.

Coincident with the finding of the brooch Lord Axminster, an old fashioned member of the nobility who has wed an American girl, receives word that an attempt will be made to rob the Towers, his ancestral place, of his wonderfully rare collection of miniatures. Word is sent to him apparently by the chief of the county police, Colonel Morley, that the colonel must perforce take a trip to the continent, and meanwhile he has put the Towers under the protection of Detective Sparkes, a mysterious catcher of thieves, whose abilities are recommended as nothing short of marvelous. Lord Axminster gathers a company of friends at the Towers, and all await the arrival of the skillful Sparkes. The latter not putting in an appearance his lordship and friends retire for the night, putting two of his lordship's huskiest men servants on guard, armed.

The household is soon awakened by the report of a pistol and, scurrying below stairs, finds the servants in dumb panic and a bagful of the precious miniatures gone. Athole Forbes, Axminster's American sister-in-law, is the only one able to throw any light on the midnight raid of the Towers and the loss of the miniatures. She talks of encountering a party of strangers in the dimly lighted house, of an attempt to strangle her, of the servants firing and of the appearance of a stranger who announced himself as Detective Sparkes.

Two Mysteries Combined.

Detective Sparkes, she declares, has gone in pursuit of the thieves. The whole household follows. The path leads to the Grand hotel, Birchampton. Here the mystery of the catastrophe to the balloon and the disappearance of its occupants becomes involved in the fresher mystery of the robbery of Axminster's miniatures and the odd appearance and flight of Detective Sparkes. Newspaper men are on guard in the hotel, watching a room which they have good reason to believe is tenanted by the man and woman who were in the balloon. Just as the newspaper men are about to bag their quarry the guests and owner of the Towers begin to put in an appearance. Colonel Morley, summoned from a banquet at the hotel, denies any knowledge of Detective Sparkes and disclaims having telephoned any warning to Lord Axminster about the contemplated raid on the latter's miniatures.

While Lord Axminster is arguing with the colonel and refusing to entertain his disclaimer about Detective Sparkes the occupants of the watched room get away, and newspaper reporters, Axminster and the county police start pell-mell in pursuit. To catch Detective Sparkes seems now the thing. The police are sure that Sparkes is no other than "the prince," a notorious and clever crook who enters the best houses in the land as a guest and who robs them as his entertainers sleep.

Every one is sure that not only did "the prince" enter the Axminster house as Sparkes, but that it was he who occupied the balloon with the unknown lady. The chase leads back to the Towers. Here Athole Forbes, with Yankee wit, unties the vexing knot. All through the process of solving the exciting riddle has run a love story between Athole Forbes and Fred Coleridge, the friend of the balloon owner.

"Arsene Lupin."

"Arsene Lupin" is a melodrama of the old school. A note of dastardly direfulness and of mysteriously mysterious mystery sounds throughout. False clews abound, and genuine thrills are not wanting.

There are moments when Arsene Lupin, if he is really as clever a thief as his pursuers believe him to be, blunders for the sake of taking the audience into his confidence, and, unlike Raffles, he works not alone, but as the leader of a gang.

Every one learns that Arsene Lupin masquerades as the Duke of Charmerace, although he is a felon who steals not for the excitement of the game, but for the value of the plunder. His depredations in the house of the plebeian art fancier, Gournay-Martin, are made easy by his connection with the latter as the affianced husband of Germaine Gournay-Martin, and the peculiar feature of his raids is that he is in the habit of warning his victim of the exact hour of his plundering visits.

Lupin a Polished Thief.

Of course Lupin is above suspicion in the eyes of his sweetheart's family. He is polished, suave and frank and in every detail of deportment the aristocrat he pretends to be.

The theft of some of Gournay-Martin's priceless pictures and tapestries first puts the famous detective, Guerchard, on his scent, and when he sends a notification that he will return a few days later for a diamond tiara which he had previously overlooked he and the detective are brought face to face.

One after another members of his gang fall under suspicion, among them Sonia, the Russian maid of Germaine, with whom he is in love and around whom the only romance of the play is woven. Then, by a series of deductions which in truth do not greatly distinguish Guerchard as the keen sleuth he is reputed to be, the toils begin to tighten around the great criminal.

Lupin's Unplayed Card.

Arsene Lupin, however, still holds an unplayed trump. As the detectives are about to lead him to prison he grabs a bomb, which afterward proves to be only a rubber ball, and threatens to blow himself and them into eternity. Then he dashes into a concealed elevator, to emerge a moment later in the disguise of the detective, and while Guerchard is being carried to the roof his victim pauses for a final love scene with Sonia and a promise to turn over a new leaf and makes his way to the street.

The play affords in the characters of Lupin and Guerchard two parts as "fat" as the most requiring actors could wish. William Courtenay, who impersonated the former, made excellent headway in it. More skillful, however, was Sidney Herbert's impersonation of Guerchard, which in every respect was an admirable exhibition of acting.

The best feminine role of Sonia was not laden with many opportunities for Miss Doris Keane.

FREDERICK TREGELLES.

VAGARIES OF THE ONE NIGHTERS

Nicholas Burnham, who plays one of the drummers in "The Traveling Salesman," referred to as "boots and shoes" because he is supposed to travel for a shoe house, has in his time played a great number of one night stands.

"When the troupe plays to a poor house in a one night stand one of the natives is sure to inform you that 'if you'll come back you'll have a good house.' There are different reasons given for the poor attendance. 'You ought to have been here on pay day,' or 'The fire laddies had a ball last night,' or this: 'The last show was bum, and the folks got disgusted,' etc.

"In a small town out west some years ago there was no mail delivery, and everybody had to go to the postoffice for the mail. We played there to a very poor house, but the landlord of the hotel told us after the show that everybody was just crazy to see the performance, but unfortunately the mail was late."

HATTIE WILLIAMS, STARRING IN "DETECTIVE SPARKES."

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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

THE PAVING OF MERRIMACK STREET.

The paving of Merrimack street is progressing rapidly and it is improbable that the work will be completed before the frost arrives. The most difficult part of the job and the most important is the paving of Merrimack square. That should be paved with heavier blocks than the four-inch quality as it has heavier traffic and is more cut up by car tracks.

THE LATE EX-MAYOR PALMER.

The late ex-Mayor Palmer was one of the most popular mayors Lowell has had in the last twenty-five years. Probably no other man ever occupied the mayor's chair who knew so many people and was so generally popular. He gave the city an excellent administration of its affairs during the three years of his incumbency, and his appointment of the city hall commission alone marked him as a man of excellent business judgment. That commission was by far the best ever chosen to perform any municipal task in Lowell and the economy, skill and taste shown in the work of building the new city hall and Memorial building prove that fact. Of late years Mr. Palmer gave all his attention to the work of the state board of arbitration and conciliation in which his influence was always exerted in behalf of industrial peace on a basis of justice between the contending parties.

THE STATEMENT OF MR. HEINZE.

Everybody must regret the experience of Mr. Heinze in the automobile races, particularly so because his complaint in regard to a lack of public spirit in certain quarters seems to be true. He declares that he will never again embark in a movement to promote auto races in this city for the reason that he finds a lack of public spirit and a very general desire "to knock" and to block, to croak and complain; to whine and to pine with never a stop till the man on the top they have hurled right down again.

Unfortunately this spirit is rife in Lowell. It is partly due to jealousy against the men who have earned success, but it is in a measure due also to the pessimistic and fault-finding spirit shown by men who do nothing themselves but who are always ready to criticize the men who do things. Mr. Heinze gave his time to the auto races and if he put in a bill for the same we surmise that he would only be doing what others have done who worked no harder than he.

OPTIMISM IN LAWRENCE.

Judging from the reports we hear from Lawrence that city is booming to a greater extent than ever before. The people of Lawrence have got it into their heads that the city has a great future before it, that it is destined to outstrip Lowell, Worcester and even Boston. Talk about optimism. Lawrence is being inflated with it just as a balloon is inflated with hot air or illuminating gas. It will do no harm, of course, to let the people of Lawrence indulge their little pastime and voice their hobby of the moment; yet we are not prepared to believe that the city will cast off the slough of despond and branch out into a first class, progressive and enterprising New England city. Lawrence is of the opinion that a great big mill will put it on a par with Lowell. It is not numbers, it is not population, that makes a great city; no, it is the character, enterprise and energy of the population that counts. If a big mill attracts the right kind of people it will benefit a city; if the wrong kind, it will injure the city.

But whether the optimism of Lawrence residents be justified by facts, whether the hope of future growth be realized or not, this optimism is a good thing; and we should have more of it in Lowell, for here it is fully justified, not by the accession of any big mill but by a lot of industries doing a prosperous and steady business with every prospect of abundant success in the future. Lowell is not boasting much about her prospects, but yet she has enough to justify the best reports, the highest hopes of future success and of a career that will leave Lawrence far behind in the race. We approve the Lawrence method of booming the city and we say to every Lowell resident boom your own city. It may do good and can do no harm.

THE PAY-AS-YOU-ENTER IDEA

An agitation is being conducted in some quarters to have passengers pay their fare when getting upon the car. The movement seems to have started in Springfield and is said to have several advantages over present methods, among these being that it will afford the conductor more time to look after the comfort of passengers; it will save him from carrying around a pocketful of nickels and it will enable the passengers to cooperate with the company in preventing "knocking down."

We do not believe in any such system, at least for Lowell. Where large crowds board a car all at the same time it would cause delay to wait for each to deposit a fare in a slot machine. This delay would injure the service. Besides, the idea that it would prevent dishonesty is all wrong. Passengers might help a dishonest game just as readily as to hinder it. Moreover, we do not see that when the conductor has no fares to collect he devotes his time to looking after the comfort of the passengers. Some of course do, but the majority do not. Like every other [illegible] conductors differ in these respects, some, we might say [illegible], being [illegible] obliging, polite and [illegible] in waiting on passengers, while others are gruff, ugly, [illegible] and "sassy" in their replies to ordinary [illegible].

It would take the [illegible] quite a while to conform to the new rule. The company in Lowell has been trying to have passengers leave by the front door and enter by the rear all to save time, but not more than half the passengers seem to have ever heard of such a rule.

The safety of the passengers or the prevention of accidents is a matter of the greatest [illegible] with all passengers and all railway companies. The new rule would hold up cars at transfer stations, the larger the crowd the longer the wait, [illegible] it would be difficult to keep on schedule time, and accidents might result. The present method we believe to serve all purposes best. [illegible] we believe that there is little or none of it on any street [illegible] the companies have such perfect methods of detection that the man who starts to put the company's money in his pocket will soon be dropped; he may not know for what but it may be for failing to account for a single fare.

The company that pays its men good wages will get conductors who think [illegible] to risk [illegible] name in [illegible] a few nickels that don't [illegible].

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

The Whiteside-Strauss repertoire company opened a four days' engagement at the Opera House last evening, presenting as a first night's attraction the up-to-date melodrama, "His Sister's Sin." Despite the inclement weather the audience was fair sized and thoroughly enjoyed the performance which was given by a competent company. Most of the members of the company are new to Lowell and their work was appreciated by the audience. Will H. Strauss, the comedian, was particularly pleasing. The play, although a melodrama and heavy in parts, admitted of much good comedy. The cast was as follows:

Jim Drake, the boy....Will H. Strauss
Richard Maynard, his enemy,
Jack Whiteside
Lewis Drake, his brother, Cecil Lugrin
Bob Sinclair, his friend....Karl Magse
Silas Drake, his father....Henry Lyon
Alli Drake, his sister...Louis Willard
Betty Belmont, his sweetheart,
Bessie Johnson
Kate Drake, his brother's wife,
Lola Vinal
Susanne Henry, his aunt,
Marie LeClair

There were no waits, for between the acts a fine vaudeville bill was presented. It included The Johnson Sisters, in singing and dancing; the Musical Lecrave, in high class instrumentalists; Miss LeClair, in character songs; Miss Maude Chesnuts, in songs and dances; Burdette Brothers, comedy acrobats; Will H. Strauss, comedian, and Dewey in a variety of offerings.

This afternoon's play is the romantic melodrama, "A Daughter of the South." This evening the attraction will be "The Cowboy Millionaire."

"THE TRAVELING SALESMAN."

Elizabeth Mason, of the Traveling Salesman company, had an amusing experience the other day. While standing in the lobby of a theatre where her company was to play that evening she noticed a group of young women who were evidently deeply interested in the framed photos of "The Traveling Salesman" company. Naturally curious she drew near to hear an unbiased opinion, only to meet the fate of "listeners who never hear any good of themselves." "My, but that old woman must be a crank; did you ever see such a pickled mouth" "Her face would curdle sweet milk" were two of the encomiums passed upon Mrs. Babbitt. Little did the gentle critics dream that the original was standing within a few inches and while Miss Mason accepted the tribute to her successful make-up, she rather winced at a diagnosis so foreign to her nature.

Bob Blake and Beth Elliott in "The Traveling Salesman."

"THE GAY HUSSARS."

Under his management at the present time Mr. Henry W. Savage is offering to American playgoers the three biggest light operatic successes in the world. They include "The Merry Widow," "The Love Cure" and "The Gay Hussars." Two companies are playing "The Merry Widow" on tour; "The Love Cure" is playing in New York, and "The Gay Hussars" will be seen here at the Opera House, Monday, Oct. 4. Mr. Savage is organizing in New York another "The Gay Hussars" company, which opens its season in December. The organization which will be seen here is the same that enjoyed the all summer run in New York.

ROSE STAHL.

Although Rose Stahl has played the role of Patricia O'Brien in James Forbes' comedy, "The Chorus Lady," something like 3,500 times since she made her first vaudeville appearance, when this play was a twenty-minute sketch, she insists that the character never has become tiresome to her and that she is fully as much interested in the slangy, worldly wise chorus girl as she was the first time she assumed the character. "I sometimes feel as though Patricia and I are one and the same person," she says. Local playgoers will have an opportunity to see Miss Stahl in this part at the Opera House soon.

"THE CANDY SHOP" COMING.

Contracts have been signed for the appearance here at the Opera House soon of Manager Charles Dillingham's big musical production, "The Candy Shop." Comedian Frank Lalor of "Coming Thro' the Rye" fame is featured with the company.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

A very interesting little story is told in a bit of drama at Hathaway's theatre, this week. It is a production from the pen of Edmund Day and anything Day writes must have a little class. "On Stony Ground" is the name of the sketch and it certainly is a winner. There are a whole lot of little spots in it that captures one's feelings and carries one along to the very end. The New York bowery has been the scene of many a tragedy and things dramatic both in life and story and the fellow who uses the bowery these days for a foundation to his sketch is taking great chances, for the bowery has been almost worked to death in this line. Day, however, has used the bowery and has come out with flying colors.

The story is simple but convincingly true to life. There's a bowery lass whose environments do not permit of an improvement of the mind. She is a waitress in a restaurant and, at times, has served as model for a magazine illustrator. The artist is very kind to her and solicitous in a brotherly way for her future. Strangers have never passed out any such kindness to the bowery girl and she mistakes its meaning. She thinks the artist is in love with her. Anyhow the artists gets hitched and he takes his wife to a restaurant where his model is a waitress. Now this same little bowery model has a very beautiful sister somewhere. She was adopted, when a little girl, by a very wealthy family while the little model, who was not so fair of face, was allowed to remain in the unfortunate environments of her birth. Well, to make a long story short, the wife of the artist proves to be the beautiful sister of the model-waitress. The ending is good. There is another affaire d'amour in the piece, in which a young fellow who has just finished his apprenticeship as a plumber, figures. He is madly in love with the waitress and tells her so and she finally decides that, everything considered, a plumber would be a handy man about the house even though he couldn't pipe his way to the upper ten.

Miss Williams acts the role of "Maggie," the waitress in "The Fried Egg," excelelntly. J. Morris Foster was fairly good as the artist. Malvina Ariment, as the pretty sister in the story, was very fetching, and James Cruze, as the plumber, gave a good touch to the character.

"The Piano Four" are very good. There's a dash to their offering that's not met with elsewhere. "The Piano Four" consists of Jane Boynton, Lotta Burnelle, Frances Ellison and Charles Clear. They play the piano, sing and dance and do all cleverly. There's snap and a twist to their performance that is positively refreshing. These four were members of the "Pianophiends" company that made so good throughout the country last season.

Chick Sale "in a school program is brimful of tickles and they're catching. Sale is a clever young man and seven distinct characters were given by him, from the teacher in the "deestrick" school, through "Percy Good," who gave a recitation; "Edna Curl," who sang "Willie Swift," who "spoke a piece;" "May Spring," who gave another recitation; "Prof. Perceifer, of the school board, who dilated on dandelions, and "Mr. Perkins," who talked to the children about the "annual doin's." Sale was truth itself in portraying the various types.

J. T. Ray and Fred Nice in the singing and dancing skit, "My Friend from Home," [illegible] were [illegible] and Will and Edith Hart danced and sang. The show closed with some acrobatic doings that were mirthful, Rosaire and Doretto supplying them. The motion pictures were new. Altogether it is the best bill yet offered this season.

Performances will be given every afternoon and evening throughout the remainder of the week, with special seats at the matinees for women.

STAR THEATRE

Amateurs who are classy will be seen at the Star theatre tonight, and it is expected that the show will surpass all other Tuesday evening performances on record at this popular amusement house.

A somersault over six chairs and a table is a feature of a very funny act by Rhodes and Adams.

Mlle. Eugenie Tessier, Lowell's celebrated blind singer, opened a permanent engagement at this theatre and with Babe Curry will sing beautifully illustrated songs.

THEATRE VOYONS

Yesterday the Theatre Voyons again showed its enterprise in presenting its patrons with the first showing of the motion pictures of the naval parade of last Saturday held in New York in connection with the Hudson-Fulton celebration. Today there was added to the program motion pictures showing the reception of Dr. Cook in New York. Besides these features there is shown Pathe's film D'art "The Tower of Basle," one of the highest class dramatic productions of the year.

TEXTILE SCHOOL

Freshmen Were Initiated Last Night

There was something doing at the corner of Pawtucket and School streets last night when a number of Textile sophomores turned out to initiate the freshies. Last year at this time the sophs were the newcamers and they got theirs good and hard but the only consolation that the freshie has while going through the stunts is that the following year he will be able to do to others as has been done to him.

The heavy downpour of rain did not affect the festivities in the least, for the harder it poured the more uncomfortable it was for the young men who were being put through the degrees.

Shortly after seven o'clock the second year men with a number of freshies in tow arrived and the latter were compelled to turn their coats inside out, roll their trousers up to their knees and disarrange their wearing apparel in various other ways. Then they were taken separately and each one was made to sing a song, give a speech and give his preparatory school yell. This was but a small part of the antics gone through before the ceremony closed.

ORDER OF OWLS

Frank M. Merrill Organized a Branch

Worcester nest, Order of Owls, was instituted last night in Arcanum hall, that city, by Deputy Supreme President Frank Lombard, Hartford, who was assisted by Deputy Supreme Organizer Frank M. Merrill, Lowell; Organizer Harry W. Jones, Hartford, who served as [illegible] president, and J. P. Harris [illegible], supreme vice-president.

The officers were installed by the supreme officers.

It was decided to have [illegible] of $7 a week for 13 weeks and $[illegible] a week for the next 13 weeks. The death benefit will be [illegible]. Medical services and [illegible] will [illegible] to members.

The supreme trustees [illegible] that after [illegible] reaches [illegible] invited to [illegible] for the establishment of a [illegible] fund. Each nest will be assessed [illegible] extra per capita tax of [illegible] at the same [illegible] members in good standing. [illegible] death occurs among those [illegible] tax has been paid [illegible] derived from the tax will [illegible] paid to the beneficiary and another levy of the tax will be made.

A nest is being organized in this city by Frank M. Merrill.

Saturday, Oct. [illegible] "quarter day" at the Lowell [illegible] Savings bank. Open an account. Deposit now.

LYNCH AND CARR

To Box Here for Featherweight Championship

The featherweight championship of New England will be decided in this city on Thursday evening when Johnny Lynch of South Boston and Eddie Carr of Chelsea, the leading 122 pound rivals of the squared circle, will don the gloves in a 12-round contest before the members of the Gladstone Athletic club in Associate hall. The winner will be met with several challenges from other aspirants to the championship title. It is agreed among the sporting writers of Boston and the boxing experts generally that Lynch and Carr are the two logical and most likely aspirants and hence the unusual importance of their match. Both are training faithfully and will be in perfect condition for their bout on Thursday evening. A large delegation of Boston sports will follow them to Lowell to witness the match. The club also showed good judgment in the selection of the preliminaries, to three good bouts have been arranged. The semi-final will be of eight rounds between Jack O'Heir of Centralville and Joe Nelson of Lawrence, two ambitious 140 pound boxers who can be depended upon to make good. Young Sullivan, a most promising featherweight of this city, will go six rounds against young O'Brien of Lawrence, while young Donnelly, also a featherweight, will tackle young Mack of the Spindle City. The meeting will be open to genuine members only and non-members will be barred. In the future the meetings will be semi-monthly and it is the intention of the club to present all first-class attractions and in all cases conform strictly to the provisions of the law, admitting none but genuine members.

THE SOCIALISTS

Nominated Daniel A. White for Governor

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—The state convention of the socialist party of Massachusetts was held in Payne Memorial hall late yesterday, Ambrose Miles of Lynn being chosen permanent chairman.

The following state ticket was nominated:

For governor—Daniel A. White, Brockton; for lieutenant governor—George G. Hall, Boston; for secretary of state—Harriet D'Orsay, Lynn; for treasurer—James B. Carr, Chelmsford; for auditor—Sylvester J. McBride, Watertown; for attorney general—John Weaver Sherman, Boston.

COTTON FUTURES

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Cotton futures opened steady. Sept. 13.05 bid; Oct. 13.19; Nov. —; Dec. 13.12; Jan. 13.10; Feb. —; March 13.19; April —; May 13.21; July 13.15

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HAD CONFEDERATE BILL

Child Acted as Santa Claus to Her Playmates

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—A week ago yesterday little Miss Rosie Werblinsky, 9 years old, found a $50 confederate bill while rumaging through her father's trunk, where it had reposed among a lot of souvenirs for the last four years, in her home at 130 Madison street.

Rosie, a pretty child with rosy cheeks, big brown eyes and black hair, didn't know the bill was bad, but something put it into her head to take it, anyway. She went to Mrs. Rachael Feinstein's grocery at 31 Market street and asked for a half dozen eggs and a quart of milk tendering in payment the $50 note. The grocery woman gave the child $49.74 in change.

Rosie has a wide circle of little friends. Imagine if you were 9 years old and fell heir to a fortune of nearly $50—well, Rosie just made Santa Claus look like a piker. First off there was a party in a vacant lot under the Manhattan bridge. Besides candies, cakes and pies there were pickles, ice cream, jelly tarts and heaps of goodies.

There was many an aching "tummy" at bedtime that night, but bright and early the following morning the guests were waiting outside Rosie's home long before she was washed and dressed. Most of them had hurried off without breakfast, but even those who had eaten found room for the morning spread, composed of syrup snowballs, ginger pop, sweet pickles, chocolate cake, peanut taffy, with a nickel box of ice cream for each guest, which Rosie provided. When every kid had stuffed full the hostess led a shopping expedition to Canal street.

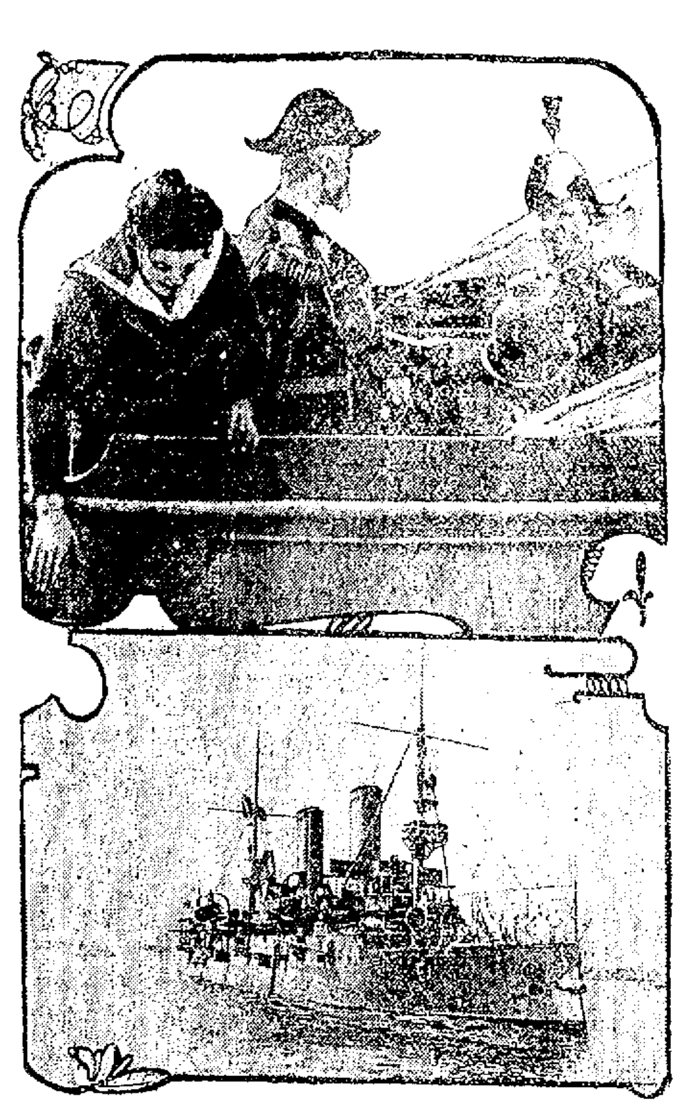
For her bosom Chum Celia Himmelstein, Rosie bought a beautiful doll that could open and shut its eyes, a doll carriage and a pair of roller skates. The other girls received toys ranging from rubber dolls to doll houses and sets of furniture. Rosie and Celia hid their treasures in the woodshed in the cellar and after school each day they would meet the other children, who brought their toys along, under the bridge and feast to their heart's content. And thus the delightful days sped on, all too swiftly, with no thought that there was to be an end.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cahill, Mrs. Feinstein's sister, went to the Immigrant Industrial Savings bank to deposit $300 for the grocery woman. The receiving teller detected the confederate $50 bill and called a detective. Mrs. Cahill convinced the bank officials of her innocence, and they permitted her to go with the worthless note.

Her sister recalled that Rosie Werblinsky had passed the bill, and when her parents stoutly denied they knew she had taken it from the trunk, Policeman Cassidy of the Madison street station walked into class 4A in public school No. 177, at Monroe and Market streets, just before the dismissal bell rang, and right before the eyes of most of the children Rosie had entertained so regally he arrested her. She cried hysterically.

At the station house Rosie steadfastly declared that what remained of $49.74 she had hidden in her father's trunk. A search failed to recover a cent and she said she had no more money. She was sent to the Children's society.

ADMIRAL DU PORD OF FRANCE AND HIS FLAGSHIP AT NEW YORK



NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—France sent three of her newest and best battleships to the Hudson-Fulton celebration in command of Admiral Du Pord. The ships are Justice, Liberte and Verite, and they represent nearly everything that is new in naval construction. The French ships were the first of the foreign visitors to arrive, and Admiral Du Pord was the guest of his countrymen in New York on several occasions before the fete was under way. He and Admiral Schroeder are old friends. This photograph of the French admiral was taken when he left his flagship to pay his first visit to the commander of the American fleet.

POLITICAL TALK

Of Candidates and Several Coming Conventions

While the state election is yet many days away, the mayoralty campaign appears to have assumed shape and the candidates are now busy, one having already opened headquarters.

On the republican end it would appear that there will be but two candidates, Alderman John Wainwright and the mayor. Walter Coburn who was called upon to run, by a voice that left no doubt as to its sincerity, has declined to be a candidate, a decision which did not surprise his friends, and hence the opposition field was left to Alderman Wainwright, who would not have been a candidate in the event of Mr. Coburn entering the field. Mr. Wainwright at present is confining himself to soliciting the support of republican voters and it is understood that he is receiving encouragement on all sides.

Mayoralty Candidates

The democracy is confronted with three most likely candidates in the persons of Major Robert J. Crowley, Ex-Rep. James E. O'Donnell and William E. Maloney, former superintendent of the local street railroad. All three have formally announced their respective candidacies within a short time and have begun to get busy. All three are thoroughly competent and popular. Major Crowley and Mr. O'Donnell have had previous successful political experience in Lowell, the former in handling the campaigns of others and at city hall, and the latter at the polls, having been elected to the legislature on the democratic ticket in a republican district. Mr. Maloney is running for office in this city for the first time with the backing and support of many well known citizens who regard him as well equipped by training and ability to fill the position acceptably. A quiet ante-caucus campaign is looked for in the democratic ranks, but on the other side, "Blessed are they that expect nothing for they shall not be disappointed."

The Eighth Senatorial District

The eighth senatorial district is about due for another democratic senator unless Senator Hibbard breaks all previous records by getting another term. The senator is opposed this year by Ex-Rep. Henry Draper, the first democrat to break into a republican representative district in recent years. Mr. Draper is making an active canvass and his friends are confident that he will pull off the election.

Mr. Mackenzie, the purchasing agent, will have a democratic opponent this year who will test his strength as a vote-getter. Thomas J. Fitzgerald, the well known wholesale and retail tobacco dealer, will be the democratic candidate and he is looked upon as a decidedly strong candidate. A successful business man he has had political experience as the treasurer of the democratic city committee and is well and favorably known throughout the city.

ALONZO G. WALSH,
Republican Candidate for Senator in the Seventh District.

A. G. Walsh's Contest

But before the municipal campaign is taken up there are several state election contests to be decided in and about Lowell and on next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock the delegates of the seventh republican senatorial convention will assemble in the republican headquarters and decide upon a senatorial candidate. Everyone in Lowell, regardless of party, hopes for the success of Alonzo G. Walsh of this city, whose affair is in doubt. The fight is between Mr. Walsh and Ex-Rep. Bennett of Saugus, while Senator Grimes has just enough delegates to make things interesting for the other two. There will be a lively time at republican headquarters on Saturday afternoon.

Representative Contests

Two representative contests that will attract some attention between the present time and election day are those in the 17th and 19th districts. In the former the democratic candidates are Stephen G. Monaghan and Thomas Golden who are opposing Rep. Erson B. Barlow and Ex-Councilman Marchand. In the 19th district Rep. Blaisdell of Tewksbury has a most formidable democratic opponent in Thomas Cuff, the well known druggist. Mr. Monaghan is exceptionally well known, having been in the employ of the Lowell Gas Light company since school days and a member of the Lowell Cadet band since its start many years ago as St. Patrick's Cadet band. Both democratic candidates are hustlers and it will not be surprising to see the success of McManmon and O'Donnell repeated in this district.

Other Conventions

The councillor convention comes Wednesday, Sept. 29, at 1.30 o'clock in the afternoon, at Wesleyan hall in East Cambridge.

The eighth senatorial convention will be held in the same place on Thursday, Sept. 30, at 3 p. m.

The 19th Middlesex representative convention comes Monday, October 4, at 8 p. m. The place of meeting for the 14th Middlesex representative convention is not yet fixed.

The state democratic convention will be held September 30, at 11 a. m. at Faneuil hall, in Boston. The eighth senatorial convention comes October 4, at 8 p. m., at the democratic headquarters in this city. The calls for the other conventions have not yet been issued.

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63 MARKET STREET

PRINCE ARRIVES

To Represent Sultan of Morocco

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—Conspicuous on the decks of the Canopic, which arrived yesterday from the Mediterranean, were four delegates representing the sultan of Morocco at the Hudson-Fulton celebration.

Sid Mohamed Ben Gelui, a prince, had seven servants who composed his retinue, and they kissed the hem of his rich robe each time they addressed him.

Dr. Othman Holtzmann, physician to the sultan, only member of the delegation who speaks English, took an active part in straightening matters at the pier when some of the many pieces of baggage were temporarily lost sight of in the rush of disembarkation. Sid Mohamed Elarbi Essenhaji, the sultan's private secretary, and Sid Mohamed Ben Abdslam, chief notable of the city of Fez, completed the interesting group. Bearing credentials from the sultan and letters from the American embassy at Tangier the delegates were impatient to get to New York, for they must start for Morocco within ten days.

Prof. Vladimir G. Simkhovitch of the department of economic history of Columbia university, New York city, arrived in Boston in time to meet the party and conduct it to the Touraine, where the distinguished foreigners with their retinue of servants will remain during their visit in this city.

Yesterday afternoon the party, conducted by Prof. Simkhovitch, visited the public library, the famous monuments about the city and later spent some time as guests at Harvard college. With their Moorish garbs and oriental customs, the party created considerable comment at the various places visited. The members of the delegation confined themselves to their apartments after the dinner hour. This morning they left for New York.

JUST A WORD

Don't suffer pain in dentistry. Dr Allen, Old City Hall, uses painless methods.

REV. MISS DIXON

Called to the Tewksbury Church

Rev. Sarah A. Dixon, Ph. D., has received a call to the First Congregational church in Tewksbury and it is understood that the call will be accepted. At a meeting of the church last night it was unanimously voted to extend the call. The matter of salary and vacation was left with the church committee and will probably be the same as in the case of the former pastor, namely, $1600 a year and the use of the parsonage. Dr. Dixon occupied the pulpit last Sunday and it is understood that the new pastorate will begin early in October. Dr. Dixon returned from Europe not very long ago and her many friends in this city will be pleased to learn that she will locate near Lowell.

REV. SARAH A. DIXON.

RANSOM KILLED

MANILA, Sept. 28.—After running amuck and attacking the officers and hospital stewards of the United States hospital ship Relief, John Ransom, a fireman of the ship, was shot and killed by Civilian Mate Heinke. Heinke killed the crazed man on orders from the commander of the Relief.

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As to the experimental package of poslam, it can be had free of charge by mail of the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York. It alone is sufficient to clear the complexion over night, and to rid the face of pimples in twenty-four hours.

FINANCIER SUED

Angry Husband Places Damages at $200,000

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Theodore P. Shonts, president of the Interborough street railway interests in New York, has been sued for $200,000 by Edward Hipsh, the New York agent of a Kentucky distilling company on the allegation of alienating the affections of Mrs. Hipsh. Mr. Shonts' attorney, De Lancey Nicoll, declares that there is no foundation for the charge so far as Mr. Shonts is concerned and that the whole thing is a case of mistaken identity. Mr. Shonts is the father of the widow of the Duke de Chaulnes, and his family moves in the highest society in New York. Mrs. Hipsh is a beautiful woman, several years younger than her husband.

THEODORE P. SHONTS
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PLEADED GUILTY

To Charge of Breaking and Entering

LAWRENCE, Sept. 28.—Jeffrey O'Connell and James B. McCarthy pleaded guilty in the superior court yesterday to a charge of breaking and entering and unlawful appropriation. They were accused of entering a stable in Peabody, taking a horse and carriage and driving to Boston, later abandoning the turnout in Salem. O'Connell was sentenced to six months in the house of correction and McCarthy to the reformatory.

In the trial of Henry Ploss of Salem, charged with breaking and entering, Judge Hardy commented for the second time during the day on the tendency of the jurors at this term of court to acquit defendants. He said that he was no part of the prosecution, but that, if he was a jury he should consider it his duty to convict some persons for the good of the community.

Subsequently the jury, deliberating on the case of Michael Sullivan of Peabody, charged with breaking and entering, but out when the charge in the Ploss case was given, rendered a verdict of not guilty. Ploss was found guilty.

George H. Taylor of Boston pleaded not guilty to the charge of perjury, alleged to have been committed in Newburyport. It is charged that Taylor furnished straw bail. Bail was fixed at $2500, which was furnished. Thomas O'Brien pleaded not guilty and Marcel Blanchette and George Michaud guilty to the charge of breaking and entering in Salem.

Charles W. Noyes of Haverhill was placed on trial on statutory charge affecting his small daughter. The case was unfinished at adjournment.

HARRIMAN WILL

Widow is Named as Executrix

GOSHEN, N. Y., Sept. 28.—The will of E. H. Harriman was admitted to probate by Surrogate John B. Swezey at Goshen yesterday. Chas. A. Peabody and C. C. Tegethoff, who witnessed the document, were present and made affidavits and the will was probated without objection.

Mr. Peabody presented papers in which Mrs. Harriman qualified as sole executrix and letters testamentary were granted to her.

Joseph W. Gott, a Goshen attorney who for 25 years had transacted most of the business growing out of the purchase of 12,000 acres of Orange county land by Mr. Harriman, was appointed special guardian for the minor heirs.

Mr. Peabody said he would not ask for the appointment of an appraiser of the estate at this time, but might do so later.

THE READING CO.

Fixes the Price of Coal, Says President Baer

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.—"There has never been any agreement, combination or conspiracy between the companies I represent and any other coal or railroad companies to control the output or sale of anthracite coal," declared George F. Baer of the Reading company yesterday when the hearing of the government's suit to dissolve the alleged hard coal trust was resumed in the federal building here.

"Some of my tophetical friends in New York who are operating coal companies and railroads said the Reading had no right to go west when our company began seeking a market in the west," he said.

Mr. Baer, who appeared on the stand for the first time in the two years the case has been under way, spoke for both the Reading companies and the Jersey Central railroad and Lehigh and Wilkesbarre company, of which he is the head. He entered a specific denial to all the charges contained in the complaint of the government filed in June, 1907.

In denying that the individual operators were forced to sell their coal to the coal carriers on the 65 per cent. basis, Mr. Baer said the individual operators entered into a voluntary agreement with the railroads. The cost of mining and selling the coal, he said, was expensive, and by selling their product to the railroad the individual risked nothing in transportation, had no expense in marketing his coal and was always sure of his money. The railroads, Mr. Baer said, did not care whether the independent companies continued the contract or canceled it.

Reading's Expense Heavy

Mr. Baer explained that the uniform price charged for anthracite coal is not the result of an agreement. The Reading company, he said, is under greater expense than any other company in producing coal and it fixes a fair price. The others follow and reap a greater profit.

Taking up the last increase of 50 cents a ton in domestic sizes after the strike of 1902, Mr. Baer said the increase in wages and other expenses resulting from the strike would have caused the company to operate at a loss or shut down had not the price been raised.

"The public must not forget," said Mr. Baer, turning to the newspaper men, "that 40 per cent. of the output of the Reading company is sold below cost of production. The public estimates coal profits on the prices of domestic sizes and does not take into consideration the low cost of steam sizes."

Purchase of New Jersey Central

Mr. Baer denied that the New Jersey Central railroad was acquired to shut off competition. He said the Jersey Central had the best harbor facilities in New York harbor for shipping coal and had enough land for 100 years to come [illegible].

He said that the Jersey Central was for sale and that the parties in control of it were tired of it. He went to J. P. Morgan and told him what he had heard, and that the acquisition of the Jersey Central was necessary for the Reading for a New York terminus. Mr. Morgan told Mr. Baer to investigate and the result was that the Jersey Central was secured by the Reading, not to stifle competition, Mr. Baer said, but to prevent competing companies from ruining the Reading.

Reading Controls Lehigh

The Temple Iron company, the capital stock of which is owned by the majority of the hard coal carrying roads, acquired certain collieries, Mr. Baer said, to save the credit of the Erie company and other enterprises which would have been affected if the Erie got into financial difficulties.

Mr. Baer was cross-examined in the afternoon by James B. McReynolds, special assistant to the U. S. attorney general.

The witness admitted that all the roads shipping anthracite coal to New York are competitors. After this admission Mr. McReynolds got Mr. Baer to admit that the Reading company secured a controlling interest in the Lehigh Valley railroad company.

The Jersey Central stock, Mr. Baer testified, was acquired in 1901 and the same traffic arrangements exist now as prior to the acquisition. A large block of the Lehigh Valley stock, he said, was secured by the Reading, Erie, Lake Shore and other roads because the Lehigh Valley road was in bad financial condition, and the bad effect of its going into the hands of receivers would have been felt by other roads. The Reading company, he said, never had control of the Lehigh Valley.

Mr. Baer was the only witness of the day. The hearing was adjourned until Wednesday, when the final testimony will be taken in New York. It is not known when the case will be taken up in the U. S. court here.

BIG SMELTING CO.

Decided to go Out of Business

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—It was announced here today that the Boston & Colorado Smelting Co. which has been engaged in the smelting business at Denver for nearly 45 years is to be dissolved and the assets divided among its stockholders. These are largely residents in New England. Shortage of copper and other ores necessary in the making of copper matter is responsible for this action. Although the company is said to have lost heavily it is in a favorable condition for liquidation at the present time and the directors decided to end the company. The Boston & Colorado Smelting Co. was incorporated under Massachusetts laws in 1865 with $1,500,000 capital. It was later reincorporated under Colorado laws. Costello Converse of Newbridge is president.

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CHARITIES CONFERENCE

Separate Committees to Have Charge of the Sessions

The seventh session of the Massachusetts state conference of charities will be held in Boston on October 19, 20 and 21. Following the program of previous conferences the various sessions will be in charge of separate committees, made up of people thoroughly acquainted with the separate topics. An unusual array of speakers appears in the preliminary announcement. The first session will be an afternoon excursion to Waverly, to visit the School for the Feeble-minded. Dr. Walter E. Fernald will address the conference on the methods of the school. All other sessions will be held at Ford Hall at the corner of Ashburton place and Bowdoin street. The main features of the various sessions are announced as follows:

Tuesday evening, October 19, subject, "How the School Can Serve the Home." Addresses by Mrs. Ellen H. Richards, instructor in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Dr. George S. C. Badger, editor "Hygiene and Physical Education;" Francis Bardwell of Sherborn.

Wednesday morning, October 20, subject, "Dependent and Neglected Families and Children." Addresses by James E. Fee, of the Massachusetts Board of Charity; Miss Alice L. Higgins, Secretary Boston Associated Charities.

Wednesday afternoon: Subject, "Social Work With the Sick and Convalescent." Addresses by Dr. Lewis M. Palmer, of South Framingham; Dr. Richard C. Cabot of Boston.

Wednesday evening: Subject, "Hygiene of Sex." President Charles W. Eliot will preside and there will be addresses by Dr. Abner Post of Boston; President G. Stanley Hall of Clark university; Dr. Marshall H. Bailey of Cambridge; Miss Maud E. Miner, probation officer of the night court, New York; Dr. Francis D. Donoghue of Boston.

Thursday morning, October 21: Subject, "The Prevention of Drunkenness." Addresses are expected on "Treatment in Medical Clinics" and "Education in Temperance."

Thursday afternoon: Subject, "The Treatment of Inebriety." Addresses by Edwin Mulready, executive officer of the Massachusetts Probation commission; Dr. Irwin H. Neff, Superintendent of the Foxboro State hospital; Bailey B. Burritt, of the New York Charities Aid association.

A social gathering of all who attend the conference will be held at the rooms of the Twentieth Century club on Wednesday afternoon. The secretary of the conference, Seymour H. Stone, 48 Rutland street, will give further information to all who desire it.

DECLINE SHOWN

In the Exportation of Foodstuffs

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—Recent discussions regarding the apparent decline in the exportation of foodstuffs from the United States and the increasing share of its foodstuffs required by its own population lend interest to a statement just prepared by the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor showing the share of the wheat and corn crops exported and retained for consumption, respectively, and the quantity of meats and food animals exported during a term of years, the record having been brought down to the end of the fiscal year 1909.

These figures of the bureau of statistics make it apparent that the share exported of the wheat and corn crops of the United States has been materially less since 1903 than at any time during the twenty years immediately preceding that date. In the twenty-year period from 1883 to 1903 the share of the wheat crop exported ranged from 40 per cent. downward, on only two occasions falling below 26 per cent. In 1904, however, the share of the wheat crop exported was but 10 per cent.; in 1905, 8 per cent.; in 1906, 14 per cent.; in 1907, 20 per cent.; and in 1909, 17 per cent. these figures showing in each case the percentage which the exports of the fiscal year bore to the crop of the calendar year immediately preceding. The figures of 1909 show 14 million bushels of wheat, including flour in terms of wheat, exported in the fiscal year (ending June 30, and this exportation in the twelve months ending June 30 is compared, with the crop of the calendar year 1908. As to the production itself, of the figures utilized by the bureau (those of the department of agriculture) indicate that there is no material decline in quantity produced, but that the decrease in exportation is apparently due to the fact that consumption is growing more rapidly than production. The crop of 1908 is given at 665 million bushels, and has only been exceeded on five occasions in the history of the country, while the exportation in the fiscal year following the production of this 665 millions bushels, was but 114 million bushels, a figure less than in any year from 1891 to the present time, with the exceptions of 1905 and 1906.

Corn exportations also show a like falling off and a like reduction in the share which they form of the total crop. The percentage of the corn crop sent out of the country is always much less than that of wheat, the bulk of the enormous corn crop of the United States being transformed into meats before exportation. In 1898, 11.11 per cent of the corn crop was exported, and in 1900, 10.30 per cent; but, as a rule, the percentage exported falls much below these figures, having been in the fiscal year 1906, 4.43 per cent; in 1907, 2.95 per cent; in 1908, 2.12 per cent; while in the fiscal year 1909 only 1.41 per cent of the crop of the calendar year 1908 was exported, although that crop amounted to 2,668,651,000 bushels, the quantity exported in the fiscal year 1910 being 37,665,040 bushels, including meal in terms of corn, or less than in any year since 1881 with the single exception of the fiscal year 1902 following the short crop of 1901.

Meat exportations also show a marked falling off when compared with their export record during the past decade. The exports of fresh beef, which in 1901 amounted to 352 million pounds, and in 1908 to over 200 million pounds, dropped to 127 millions in 1909; of salted or pickled beef, which in 1906 were 81 million pounds and in 1908 47 millions, showed but 31 millions in 1909; of canned beef, which in 1903 were 78 million pounds and in 1908 23 millions amounted to but 17 million pounds in 1909. Tallow exportations fell from 128 million pounds in 1907 to 53 millions in 1909; lard, from 562 million pounds in 1899 and 661 millions in 1906 to 245 millions in 1909. Exportations of hams show but a slight decrease, being in 1909 212 million pounds, against 227 millions in 1900, the highest record of the decade. Exports of pork, salted or pickled, dropped from 157 million pounds in 1908 to 52 millions in 1909, of lard, from 742 million pounds in 1906 to 605 million pounds in 1908 to [illegible] millions in 1909; of oleo oil, from [illegible] million pounds in 1906 to 150 millions in 1909, while the total value of all meat and dairy products exported fell from 211 million dollars in 1908 and 202 millions in 1907 to 167 millions in 1909, despite the higher prices which prevailed in the latter year.

The number of cattle exported, which totaled 593,000 in 1904, 584,000 in 1906, and 349,000 in 1908, was in 1909 but 205,000, or less than half the annual average during the five-year period immediately preceding.

In scarcely any of the important articles of foodstuffs are the figures of export values as high in 1909 as in immediately preceding years, although the prices per unit of quantity are, in most cases, higher in 1909 than in earlier years. The value of corn exports in 1909 was but 25 million dollars, against 34 millions in the immediately preceding year; of wheat, 68 million dollars, against 100 millions in the immediately preceding year; of flour, 51 millions in 1909, against 64 millions in 1908; of cattle, 18 millions in 1909, against 29 millions in 1908; and in nearly all articles of meats and in the total of meat and dairy products the figures of 1909 are, as already indicated, below those of the immediately preceding year or of the annual average of a brief term of years immediately preceding. The total value of all foodstuffs (including food animals) exported in the fiscal year 1909 was but 338 million dollars, against 521 millions in 1908, 553 millions in 1901, and 299 millions in 1898.

BRAVE OFFICER

Rescued Child From a Burning Building

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—Bertha Greenburg, 7 years old, had a narrow escape from being suffocated by smoke from a fire, which started in the room in which she was sleeping in her parents' home on the top floor of the three-story tenement house, 77 Phillips street, West End, at 8.15 last night.

The child was lying on a couch and the fire which was fast eating up a bureau on the other side of the room, was giving out clouds of smoke, when Patrolman A. F. Marston of division 3 rushed in and carried her to safety.

At the time Mrs. Greenburg and two children, one of them a babe in arms, were in the kitchen in the rear of the tenement. When she saw the fire and smoke, she hustled out on the fire escape with the two children, unmindful of the little girl in the room.

Some one in the streets saw smoke coming from the upper windows of the house and yelled, attracting Patrolman Marston, who rushed upstairs. Seeing no one in the kitchen he made his way to the front room and rescued the almost unconscious child. He carried her to the tenement downstairs, where he found Mrs. Greenburg and the other two little ones.

An alarm was sounded from box 2123. It was a hard drag for the fire horses up the steep incline and all the firemen, with the exception of the drivers, jumped from the apparatus and gave the animals a lift. The fire destroyed the front room with its furnishings and did considerable damage to the room in the rear. The total damage was about $500. The building is owned by Benjamin Gerber.

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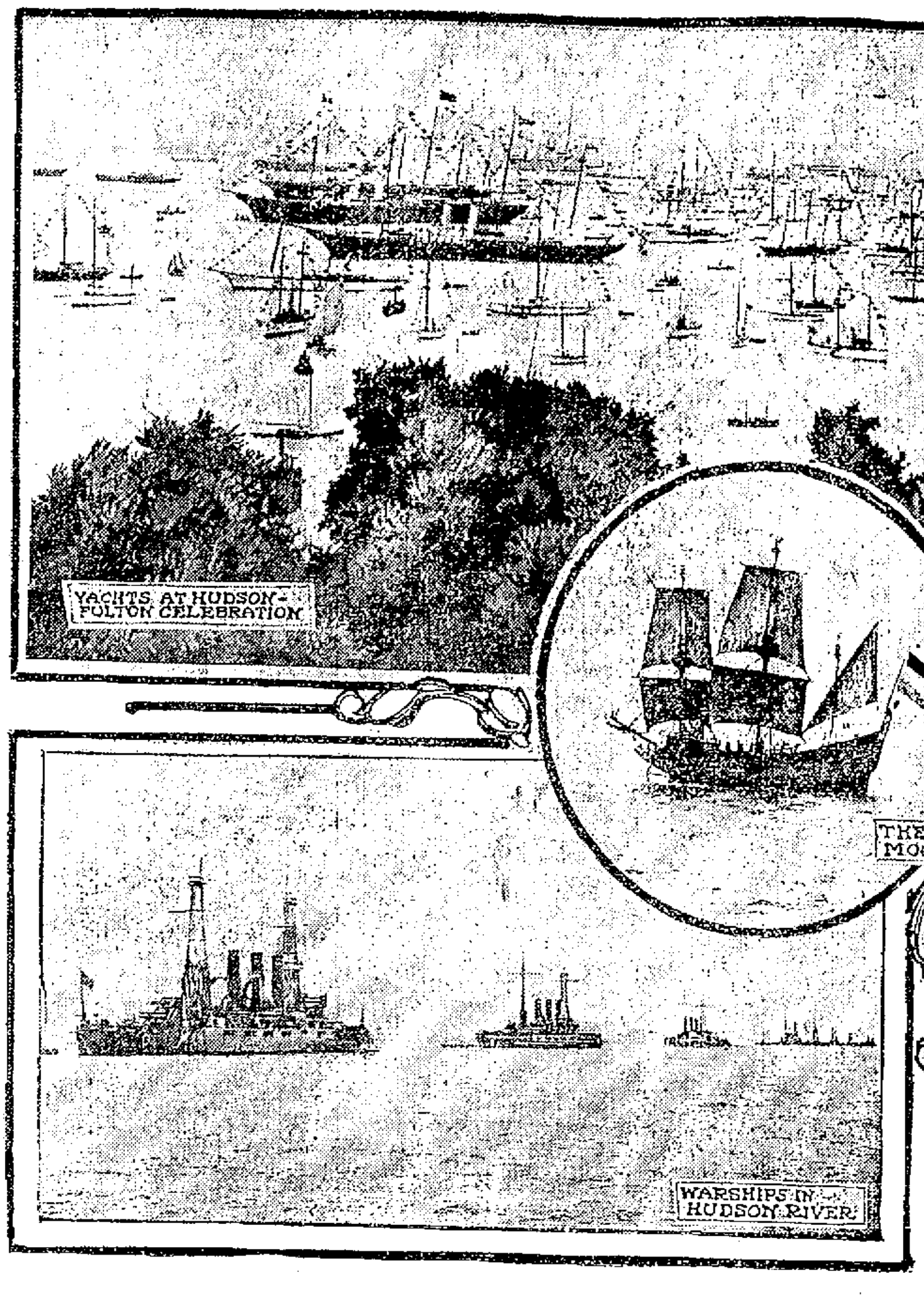

YACHTS AT HUDSON-FULTON CELEBRATION

THE HALF MOON

WARSHIPS IN HUDSON RIVER

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—There were 78 steam yachts in the great parade of vessels that encircled the international warship fleet at the Hudson-Fulton celebration. These yachts, representing many millions of dollars, were gaily decked with flags for the afternoon parade, and in the evening procession they were brilliantly illuminated with colored lights, and many of them played searchlights on the warships and along the shores of the river as they proceeded up the stream. As the parade passed along the ten mile line of warships each in turn saluted the Half Moon and the Clermont with 21 guns. Such a thunder of guns was never heard in or around the harbor of New York. Although the palatial yachts formed only a small part of the water pageant, they attracted a great deal of attention. J. Pierpont Morgan's palatial Corsair was the flagship of the yacht fleet, which consisted of eight divisions. These pictures show some of the yachts dressed for the gala occasion and the Half Moon under sail.

GRAND RECEPTION

In Honor of the Envoys of Seven Nations

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—The envoys of the seven nations which have sent ships of war and the special delegates of other nations participating in the Hudson-Fulton celebration, were officially received last night at a reception in the Metropolitan Opera House under the auspices of the Hudson-Fulton commission. Seated on the stage was a distinguished gathering, including dignitaries from the countries of Europe, the Orient and South America, officials of city and state and men prominent in business and professional life of this country. One of the most conspicuous figures on the stage, and the only woman occupying such a position, was Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, the venerable author of the Battle Hymn of the Republic. Because of her advanced years, Mrs. Howe sat in a wheeled chair. At her left was Admiral Sir Edward Seymour of the British fleet, while nearby were M. Jean Gaston Darboux, the French representative; Rear-Admiral Seaton Schroeder, commanding the Atlantic battleship fleet, Contre-Amaral Le Pord, of the French battleship La Justice, and His Excellency Youssuf Zia Pasha, the Turkish minister.

On the right of Mayor McClellan sat Prince Kuni of Japan; Governor Charles E. Hughes of this state; Grand Admiral Von Koester of the German fleet, and Vice-Admiral Di Brocchetti, of the Italian fleet.

Behind the naval officers with their gold lace and decorations and dignitaries sat forty or more of the foreign representatives and members of the Hudson-Fulton commission, including General Stewart L. Woodford, former Mayor Seth Low, and others.

General Stewart L. Woodford, chairman of the Hudson-Fulton commission, formally called to order and introduced Mayor McClellan as chairman of the evening. Mayor McClellan introduced Bishop David H. Greer of the Episcopal diocese of New York, who delivered the invocation. The most conspicuous part of his remarks was his saying in the hearing of the naval officers of the chief powers of the world. "Bind the nations of the earth in the bands of brotherhood and peace; make wars to cease and righteousness to reign."

In his address extending a welcome on behalf of the city, Mayor McClellan spoke briefly.

After a song by the New York Banks' Glee club, Mrs. Howe read an original poem, paying an eloquent tribute to Henry Hudson and Robert Fulton.

An address of welcome on behalf of the commission was delivered by General Woodford, then the roll of nations was called, beginning with Argentina and concluding with Turkey. There were cheers and handclapping as each delegate stepped forward and presented either a message from his sovereign or an appropriate address. The assemblage were especially enthusiastic when the delegates of Japan, Holland, Germany and England came forward and the cheering lasted for more than a minute. The majority of the delegates presented their addresses after having read them to Mayor McClellan, while the delegate from Norway read a congratulatory message from King Haakon. Referring to the Vikings, he said that Norway had in reality discovered America before Columbus knew of its existence.

After the address of the Dutch delegate, J. T. Cremer, the national air of Holland was played, while the Hudson-Fulton flag was waved from the stage amid great cheering.

SIGNOR CANOVIA

TO WRITE ON THE ITALIAN BANKING SYSTEM

ROME, Sept. 28.—Signor Canovia secretary of the Bank of Italy, who is now in Paris, telegraphs from that city that he has met Senator Nelson W. Aldrich, of the American monetary commission to whom he explained in detail the Italian banking system. Signor Canovia said he has accepted an offer to write a paper on the subject for the commission.

STATE CAMPAIGN

The Democratic Leaders Outline Party's Policy

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—The republican party will be attacked on the national issues—the tariff, income tax and others—during the coming state campaign, according to the program laid down last night by the democratic leaders at a conference held at the City club, preceding the state convention to be held Thursday.

Chairman Fred J. MacLeod presided and the speakers were Congressmen Peters, Keliher, and O'Connell, former mayor J. H. McNamee of Cambridge, Dr. John W. Coughlin, national democratic committeeman, from Fall River; former Mayor Connor of Northampton, and Edward Gallagher of Lowell. The state commissions were attacked by G. Bradford.

No opposition developed to the candidacy of James H. Vahey to lead the party's state ticket, although it was stated that Mayor J. T. Coughlin of Fall River intended to keep in the contest to the end. Neither Vahey nor Mayor Coughlin was present at the conference.

JUSTICE GAYNOR

Endorsed for Mayor of New York

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Justice William J. Gaynor, whose candidacy for the New York mayoralty has been endorsed by several independent and semi-independent political organizations, received the endorsement last night of a labor organization calling itself the "Workingmen's Political Party" and claiming to voice the sentiments of 23,000 members.

The democratic executive committee of Brooklyn voted last night to support Justice Gaynor in the democratic city convention. Senator McCarren, the Brooklyn leader, characterized Justice Gaynor as "the Tammany candidate."

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THE PRESIDENT

Had an Auto Ride Over the Mountains

HELENA, Mont., Sept. 28.—Attired in a linen duster and an old black slouch hat, and swinging an electric lantern at his side, President Taft was locked in a narrow iron cage and dropped 1200 feet through darkness into the depths of the famous old Leonard copper mine at Butte yesterday. He had the rare experience of seeing miners at work with a giant drill in a vein of high grade ore which sparkled green with its wealth of mineral. After half an hour underground, the president was brought to the surface blinking in the glare of the noonday sun. He was cheered to the echo by the crowd of curious people gathered at the hoist. He declared enthusiastically:

"I would not have missed it for the world."

It was the president's first visit to the Montana copper region and between the smelters at Anaconda and the mines at Butte he had a series of interesting experiences. Not the least of these was a thrilling automobile ride over the mountains from Butte to the mouth of the Leonard mine. The grades were steep and winding, but the chauffeurs were experienced men; and, while there was apparently no threat of danger at any stage of the trip, there was a sigh of relief when Mr. Taft had once more been placed safely aboard the Mayflower for the run to Helena.

On arriving at Helena, he went directly to the State fair grounds, where, after viewing a portion of the exhibits, he made an open air address and witnessed a race of cowboys. Returning to the city, Mr. Taft reviewed another parade.

After leaving Helena last evening he headed direct for Spokane, where he is expected today to deliver his formal speech on the conservation of the natural resources and the reclamation of arid lands.

President Taft walked with a limp when he first got off the train yesterday morning at Anaconda, the result of a sprained tendon in his right foot. The accident occurred at Beverly, but he suffered little inconvenience from it until yesterday when his foot was considerably swollen. There is nothing serious about the hurt, and Mr. Taft did not let it interfere in any way with his plans.

The president made a flying trip through the Washoe smelter of the Amalgamated Copper company at Anaconda; then proceeded into the city, and, after a brief address, took the train for Butte. The crowds which greeted him on the streets there were the largest he had seen since leaving Chicago. The police had their hands full in opening a way for the automobile procession and after the president's car had passed, the crowd swarmed in its wake. Speaking at the court house, the president looked out upon a mass of humanity which blocked the square and spread far down the converging streets. He made a decided hit with the great throng when he told them of the wonderful impression the country was making upon him and ending by saying:

"I am like the old Dutchman who said 'The more you live the more you find, by golly, out.'" When the president disappeared down the shaft of the Leonard mine, yesterday with a hearty good-bye shouted to the waving group at the entrance, he carried with him into the depths of the earth two of his cabinet officers, and won the presidential record for the farthest underground.

President Roosevelt entered some of the Butte mines during his term, but did not get down to the 1200 foot level.

Postmaster General Hitchcock, who joined the president yesterday at Anaconda, and Secretary Ballinger accompanied the president in the picturesque trip down the dark chute and through the cross-cuts and drifts of the deep level.

The whole method of copper mining was explained to the president.

At Butte, the president received a full sized golf club driver made of copper, silver and gold, the three metals which have made the Butte camp famous.

On the head of the driver the following inscription was engraved:

"William Howard Taft, Champion 1909-1913 foursome. Butte, Mont., September 27, 1909."

When the president's special train pulled into Helena a reception committee composed of 400 citizens from all parts of Montana greeted Mr. Taft. He was driven in an automobile directly to the Fair grounds where the fair was in progress. Fully 20,000 people gathered in and about the grounds to see and hear the president.

PROF. PEARSON BURIED

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—Attended by prominent medical men from various parts of the country, the funeral of Dr. Leonard Pearson, professor of veterinary medicine in the University of Pennsylvania since 1891, was held late yesterday at Forest Hills cemetery, the officiating clergyman being Rev. Harris D. Hale of Brooklyn, N. Y.

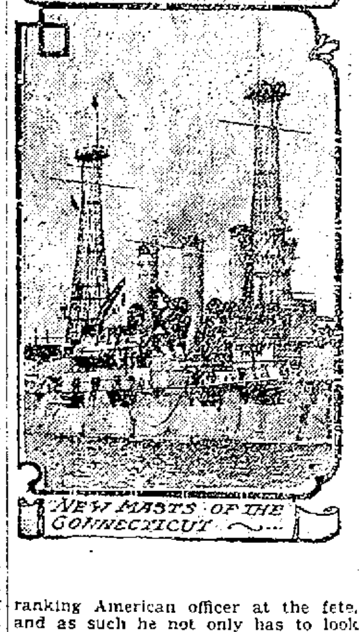
Dr. Pearson died at Spruce Brook, Newfoundland, a week ago and the body was brought here yesterday.

THE U. S. ADMIRAL

And Flagship at the Hudson Fete

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Rear-Admiral Seaton Schroeder, who is in command of the Atlantic battleship fleet, is the busiest man connected with the Hudson-Fulton celebration, for the major part of the entertainment of the visiting naval officers devolves upon him. Schroeder is the

REAR ADMIRAL SCHROEDER



NEW MASTS OF THE CONNECTICUT

ranking American officer at the fete, and as such he not only has to look after the welfare of his own fleet, but must see to the comfort of his visitors. Innumerable interchanges of courtesies according to naval etiquette give the admiral more to do than has fallen to the lot of an American officer in many years.

Next week is "quarter week" at the Lowell Five Cent Savings bank.

NEW ALLEYS

OF Y. M. C. I. TO BE OPENED TONIGHT

The Young Men's Catholic Institute will formally open its new bowling alleys, tonight. Three new regulation alleys have been installed by the Brunswick, Balk, Collinder Co., of New York. These alleys are by far the best and highest priced in the city at the present time. Rev. George Nolan, O. M. I., the newly appointed pastor of the Immaculate Conception church, will roll the first ball on the alleys. The contest of the evening will be a three-cornered match between the Y. M. C. I. team and two teams including the best men in the Catholic league. James Wynne will captain one team while George Lebrun will captain the other.

Friday evening, Oct. 8, '09, the Institute will hold its first winter social. The famous Union Singing orchestra of Marlboro will furnish the music. The entertainment will consist of songs, readings and specialties between the dances by the best local talent. Dancing will start at 8 o'clock sharp.

Tuesday evening, October 5, '09, there will be a Ladies' Night at the rooms. Gilmore's orchestra will furnish the music for dancing.

EXPLORER COOK

TO DELIVER A LECTURE IN BOSTON

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—It was announced last night that Dr. Frederick A. Cook will deliver a lecture here next Friday night under the auspices of the Arctic Club of America.

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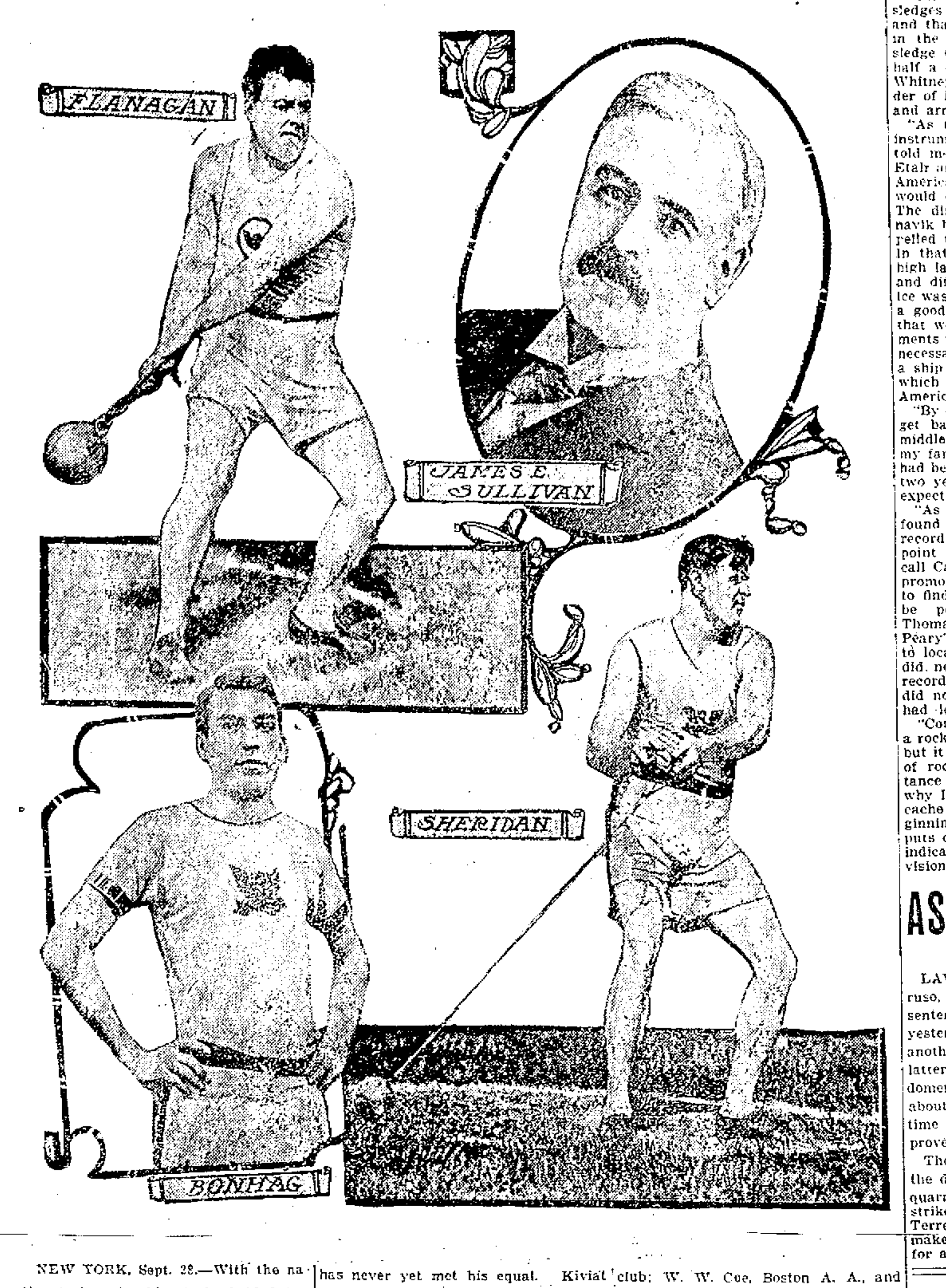

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—With the national championships to be held Oct. 4 and 5 in New York the indoor season of 1909-10 begins. Heretofore this epoch in amateur athletics was usually held later in the season, and the fact that it has been placed at an early date makes it the big harbinger of the season. The feature of these championships will be the 600 and 1000 yard races. Sheppard, Lunghi, Kiviat, Hillman and Gissing will start in these events, and it is a toss up as to who will win. The burst of speed with which Sheppard finished the half mile recently at the senior metropolitan championships shows that he is returning to his old time form. Gissing is a dangerous man at any time, and the New York Athletic club followers are depending on him to win the 1000 yard event. Lunghi is a marvel at any distance from 600 to 1000 yards, and many claim he can smash all the records between these two distances. Hillman, when trained for a 600 yard race has never yet met his equal. Kiviat is a wonder for his age. Although only a schoolboy, he has already traveled close to record time on several occasions. He is a most consistent performer, and a good race is always assured when he starts. These five men are undoubtedly the fastest in the world today in their class, and it will be many a day before such a select field faces the start. In the two mile race George Bonhag, the record holder, will toe the mark with Wilson, the English champion; Sullivan, Daly, Collins, Bellars, Bailey and other well known distance men. Bonhag has been resting up all summer, but is in training for these games, and if he reaches the form he was in last winter he will surely be the champion. The foremost weight tossers of the world will be on hand, and some great competition will be seen when Sheridan, Flanagan, Macdonald, Horr, Elliott and Meyer of the Irish club, Lawrence, Dearborn, McGrath and Gillis, New York Athletic club; W. W. Coe, Boston A. A., and other well known weight men get together. Lawrence of the New York Athletic club and Elliott, Irish American Athletic club, are probably the two youngest weight throwers of championship caliber in America, but they are pretty sure of being placed in the events in which they compete. Following is a list of events scheduled to be held: Seventy-five yard run, 300 yard run, 1000 yard run, two mile run, 220 yard hurdle (ten flights, three feet six inches), standing broad jump, running hop, step and jump, throwing fifty-six pound weight for height, putting eight pound shot, pole vault for distance, running high jump and one mile walk. Mr. James E. Sullivan, president of the Amateur Athletic union, and other officials, desiring to co-operate with the Hudson-Fulton celebration commission, have arranged to have the monster championship athletic carnival known as the official Hudson-Fulton celebration athletic meeting.

PEARY MAKES REPLY

To the Statements Given Out by Explorer Cook

BAR HARBOR, Me., Sept. 28.—Commander Robert E. Peary, accompanied by his wife, reached here last night from Portland and within half an hour of his arrival was in conference with General Thomas H. Hubbard, president of the Peary Arctic Club, concerning the statement which will shortly be made public by Commander Peary to support his contention that Dr. Frederick A. Cook did not reach the pole. The two were still in conference late last night at General Hubbard's summer home, where the explorer was a guest.

The consultation will be continued today, and late in the day Commander Peary will probably return to his home at Eagle Island. It is generally believed that he and General Hubbard will go to New York together.

During the trip to Bar Harbor, Mr. Peary spoke frequently of Harry Whitney. "There might have been some strange reasons why Whitney did not go back to Etah in the Jeanie for Dr. Cook's stuff," he said. "I cannot understand how anyone could let such records get out of his hands. I would not give my records to my dearest relative. I say again I do not see how Cook could have turned his stuff over to Whitney or anybody else. I secured my instruments in a bag and the flag which I took to the pole I sewed in my clothes and wore until I reached Battle Harbor.

"I kept my records under watch day and night and I was prepared in case the Roosevelt was crushed in the ice to throw them overboard so that they could float in their cases. Can you imagine my giving up those records to a perfect stranger? Harry Whitney did not tell me what was in Dr. Cook's stuff except six fox skins, and some other trophies. I cannot see why I should have carried the stuff when Cook could have taken it. If Dr. Cook's stuff was of such importance why did not Whitney go back in the Jeanie and get it?

"I saw Dr. Cook's sledge at Etah and looked it over carefully, while Prof. McMillan held up Cook's snow shoes and showed them to me. But I did not examine the snow shoes carefully."

Reverting to Dr. Cook's things, he continued:

"I imagine Dr. Cook's stuff was made up of superfluous instruments. After Whitney had put the stuff ashore I told the Eskimos to leave it alone.

"On my return from the pole I saw all the Eskimos and talked with them. After what I heard I would not credit Cook's claims. The letter that told me that Dr. Cook had claimed the pole was from a whaler named Captain Adams and not Walker as has been stated. The letter was dated June 17 and I received it at Cape York."

"What proof will you require of an explorer that he had been far north?" Peary was asked.

"That if a man went to the highest point that had been reached before, he should bring back the records he found there," said Commander Peary.

"You will note that Cook's route to the pole was 107 miles longer each way than mine. The people can make their own deductions whether Dr. Cook, with his equipment, could have made such a journey.

"Dr. Cook claims he went from latitude 77½ to 90 degrees and back to 76 degrees, altogether just 25½. Then think that the best previous record made by any explorer was a total of 11 degrees.

"I cannot say whether the extra 107 miles each way that Cook says he traveled, would have kept him away from the pole or not. It might and it might not have, the difficulty in Arctic travel, as you proceed north, increasing not in arithmetical but in geometrical progression."

EXPLORER COOK

REPLIES TO CHARGES MADE BY PEARY

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Dr. Cook consented last night to give the Associated Press a formal reply to some of the most material of the charges brought against him by Commander Peary. A more complete declaration will be issued by the explorer when Commander Peary makes his accusations over his own signature. In his statement, Dr. Cook says:

"Commander Peary says that my sledges were not fitted to Arctic travel, and that he would not care to voyage in the Arctic with them. The only sledge Commander Peary saw was half a one, which I had given to Mr. Whitney as a souvenir. The remainder of it had been used to make bows and arrows.

"As to my reasons for leaving my instruments with Mr. Whitney, he had told me that the Erik was coming to Etah and would take him over to the American side to hunt big game and would come back later to Annatok. The distance from Annatok to Upernavik by the route which I was compelled to follow was nearly 700 miles. In that journey I had to travel over high land in two places, with glaciers and difficult places to negotiate. The ice was extremely rough and there was a good deal of water to be expected that would have subjected the instruments to a risk which was entirely unnecessary when Mr. Whitney awaited a ship to go to Etah for him, upon which he expected to return direct to America.

"By going to Upernavik I hoped to get back by the end of July or the middle of August. I wanted to see my family as soon as possible, as I had been separated from them for over two years, while Mr. Whitney did not expect to get back before October.

"As to the charge that I had not found traces of Commander Peary's record at Cape Thomas Hubbard, the point which Commander Peary would call Cape Thomas Hubbard, is a round promontory, and it would be difficult to find any distinct point which could be positively recognized as Cape Thomas Hubbard. From Commander Peary's map I am absolutely unable to locate Cape Thomas Hubbard. We did not search for any cairn where records might be deposited. In fact I did not know that Commander Peary had left any records there.

"Considerably to the west I did see a rock which might have been a cache, but it might have been merely a clump of rocks. I was at a very long distance from it and there was no reason why I should have searched. I left a cache of provisions close to the beginning of the cliffs of what Sverdrup puts down as Svartevoeg. There is no indication near where we left our provisions."

ASSAULT CHARGE

LAWRENCE, Sept. 28.—Tony Caruso, a 17-year-old Italian boy, was sentenced to the Concord reformatory yesterday on the charge of assault on another boy, Dominico Terresi. The latter received a severe gash in the abdomen, which Dr. Cutter said required about 100 stitches to close. For a time it was feared the injury would prove fatal.

The assault was committed Sept. 4, the defendant and another boy having quarreled, the latter endeavoring to strike him with a pocket knife. The Terresi lad endeavored to act as peacemaker and received the blow intended for another.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Martha A. Neal, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Susie L. D. Watson, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the nineteenth day of October A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Oscar W. Ereckson, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased:

Whereas, C. Edward Pihl, administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition praying the Court to determine the amount of money which he may pay for the burial lot, monument and the perpetual care of said lot in which the body of said deceased is buried, and to whom the same shall be paid:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the twenty-ninth day of September A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

J. Joseph O'Conner, Atty.

PAIGE ST. CHURCH

Calls Rev. B. R. Harris From Bradford, N. H.

Rev. B. R. Harris, of Bradford, N. H., has accepted a call from this city to become the pastor of the Paige Street Free Baptist church, and will take up his duties in this city on October 17.

The following letter was read Sunday at the Paige Street church:

To the Members of the First Free Baptist Church, Lowell, Mass.:

Dear Brothers and Sisters: Believing that the call extended to me by you Sept. 15 opens a door for usefulness in our master's service in Lowell, I accept the same, expecting the hearty co-operation of each member of the church in trying under his blessing, to make the most of the opportunity for his glory.

With your consent the time of the beginning of my service with you will be Oct. 17, 1909.

May we all pray earnestly that his blessing may abundantly rest upon you and me in our work together, and that many may be born by his spirit into his kingdom.

Yours in His Name,
Benjamin R. Harris.

Bradford, N. H.

The following item recently appeared in the Warner Independent and Times:

"Rev. B. R. Harris read his resignation, as pastor of the Baptist church, last Sunday. He has accepted the pastorate of a Baptist church in Lowell, Mass., and will begin his duties there some time in October. He has been here for nearly five years, and made many friends who regret his departure. He has made himself not only a fine pastor, but pleasant neighbor and friend. His family will also be much missed.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

A demonstration of class work of the young men will be given next week Wednesday evening in the gymnasium to which all the young men of the city are invited. New members are already coming in, and the gym promises to be lively this fall. Next week is membership week, and you should not fail to obtain your new man, and get that 100 by Oct. 11.

A meeting of the executive committee of 50 will be held this evening.

The men's meeting of October 10 at the rooms of the association promises to be a good one, with Dr. Clark of the Schubert quartet of Boston and R. A. Elwood of New Jersey in his address of "Wanted—a Man."

MONEY TO LOAN

NOTES OF SALARIED PEOPLE and women keeping house and others, bought without security, easy payments. Offices in 66 principal cities. Don't be deceived by misleading advertisements, investigate actual terms of others, then save money by trading here. D. H. Tolman, Room 48, 45 Merrimack St.

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Everybody may occasionally run short of ready cash.

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STABBED IN NECK

Assailant is Believed to be Insane

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 28.—Martin L. Keogh, of Wilmington, Del., was walking down Washington street last night when Jacob Plumm, of Rochester, N. H., ran up to him and stabbed him in the neck with a keen bladed knife. Plumm was arrested. At the police station he declared that Keogh was a Black Hand man who had trailed him from the east. Plumm will be examined as to his sanity. Keogh will recover.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

5-ROOM HOUSE, good size, lot of land, near Appleton st., for sale. Price only $750. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

TWO STORY HOUSE, one acre of land, lot of fruit, in Chelmsford Centre, for sale. Price $1500. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central st.

8-ROOM HOUSE with all modern improvements steam heat, large lot of land, near East Merrimack st., for sale. Price $2400. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central st.

HOME BUYERS should look over my large list of two tenements, cottages, and investment properties in all sections of city and suburbs. Many excellent trades. Some easy payments. Open Saturday and Monday evenings. M. J. Sharkey, Insurance and Real Estate, 22 Central St. Tel. 2725-3.

TWO HOUSES IN CENTRALVILLE for sale, one three, the other four, tenements. Both in good repair and paying. Few minutes' walk from Merrimack Square. Apply to R. C. Hope, 560 Westford street, Lowell.

MISCELLANEOUS

BADGES, BELL PLATES and CHECKS made to order. Scissors sharpened at Harry Gonzales, 125 Gorham st. Tel. 952-2.

CELLAR CEMENTING, sewer connections of any kind done by experienced men at reasonable figures. Estimates given. Best of references. Patrick J. Morris, 141 Ludlam st.

DRINK GLORIA for health; sold everywhere.

LIMBURG, chimney expert. Chimneys swept and repaired. Residence, 1123 Bridge st. Tel. 948.

MOTHERS—Bent's Destroyer kills lice on children, and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair; harmless. 25c only, at Falls & Burkinshaw's, 418 Middlesex st.

WANTED

MIDDLE AGED WOMAN wanted to do housework. Five in family. Call or address Mrs. Griffin, 38 Apple st.

ALL ROUND GIRL wanted at once. Apply New Weston House, 50 Lee st.

AN UNFURNISHED ROOM wanted in respectable family for light housekeeping, lower floor preferred. Address L., Sun Office.

BOOKS, LIBARAIES, also Medal, Magnet, Eagle, Plucks, Fame; paper covers. Merritt's Book Store, 277 Middlesex.

ROOMERS AND BOARDERS, wanted in excellent house. All home cooking, steam heated rooms and modern conveniences. Mrs. Nettie Saunders 68 Gates street.

OLD FEATHER BEDS wanted. Guarantee to pay double the amount of any other dealer. Also old fashioned furniture. Send orders to L. David, Gen. Delivery, Lowell.

I PAY THE HIGHEST PRICE in cash for any kind of second hand furniture. Call or send postal. W. Fox, 636 Middlesex st.

Real Estate Wanted

A responsible party having a few hundred dollars would like opportunity to invest in a home, on easy terms. Write E. B. B. Sun Office, giving full particulars.

HELP WANTED

20 MEN WANTED at once. Apply Water Works, Paul st., Billerica Centre, $2 per day.

DRAWERS IN and handers in wanted at once. Musketaquid Mills, cor. Davidson and Howe sts.

GIRL WANTED to assist in housework, at 24 Canton st.

COAT and PANTS MAKER wanted at Harry Raymond's, 146 Gorham st.

AN ALL ROUND MAN wanted to work Saturday nights in kitchen. Apply Blood's Lunch Room, 29 Prescott st.

EXPERIENCED HOUSE GIRL wanted. Apply 71 Bowers st.

MIDDLE AGED WOMAN wanted to mind children. One who will be kind to them. Inquire 57 Bolt st.

EXPERIENCED BEADERS ON SHOES wanted. Haverhill Beading Co., 44 Central St., Lowell, Mass.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE—Help of all kinds wanted and furnished, satisfaction guaranteed. Miss Burton's, 270 High St.

EXPERIENCED WOOD BOX MAKERS wanted at Charles Daggett Box Co., 110 Tanner street, near Lincoln street.

MACHINE PIN GRINDERS wanted. Apply W. H. Bagshaw, 11 Wilson st.

WANTED

Twister and Reeler Tenders, Shaw Stocking Co., Lowell, Mass.

A THOUSAND CORDS OF WOOD

Of all kinds for sale. Prompt delivery. Wholesale or retail. Tel. 2310. A. A. Brown, 73 Inland st.

TO LET

SUITE OF ROOMS to let, furnished for light housekeeping, hot and cold running water, free bath, in heart of city. Durand, 251 Central st.

SIX-ROOM TENEMENT WITH BATH to let. Inquire 242 School St., or 474 Merrimack St.

FOUR-ROOM TENEMENT to let, to man and wife, near the mills, thorough-clean house. Price $2 per week, 27 Fulton St. Apply 276 Westford St.

12-ROOM HOUSE to let, bath, hot water connections, at 262 Fayette St., inquire at 251 Concord St.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, steam heat, bath. The Columbia, 170 Middlesex St.

GOOD FIVE ROOM TENEMENT to let, near the mills, just put in best of repair. $2.50 per month. Three rooms $5.50; two rooms, $4.50. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

ONE-HALF DOUBLE HOUSE to let. Modern eight rooms, bath, hot and cold water, $14.00. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

STEAM HEATED ROOM to let, $1.25, also large front room suitable for two, 43 Hurd St.

LODGING HOUSE, 700 MIDDLESEX ST. Pleasant furnished rooms to let, steam heat, hot and cold water with bath. Low rent. F. E. Saunders, proprietor.

6-ROOM MIDDLE FLAT to let. All modern improvements with bath and pantry. Inquire in rear of 36 Mead St.

HOUSE OF 7 ROOMS AND BARN to let at 15 England St.

TENEMENT ON STACKPOLE ST., to let. Inquire George Fairburn, Merrimack square market.

5-ROOM TENEMENT to let. No. 11 Somerset street. Rent $10 a month. Apply Dr. S. Bartlett 106 Merrimack street, Lowell, Mass.

FURNISHED ROOM to let. 50 Twelfth st. Board if desired.

UP-TO-DATE TENEMENT of 7 rooms on 2nd floor, at 10 Lombard st., to let. Bath, pantry, hot and cold water. Apply 38 Second ave., or 2 Thorndike st.

MODERN HOUSE of 8 rooms to let with every up-to-date convenience; large yard, fruit and shade trees, and small barn. Inquire 336 Rogers st.

APARTMENT of 6 ROOMS with modern improvements, to let. The Bellevue, 137 Stackpole st. C. A. Roberts.

NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS to let. Gentlemen preferred. Next to the Whistler house, 236 Worthen st. Meals if desired.

5-ROOM TENEMENT at 12 Barclay st. to let. Rent $3 a month. Apply Phillips & Schutz Furniture Co., 332 Middlesex st.

STORE TO LET with tenement of 4 rooms connecting, at 34 North st. Rent reasonable. Apply at 33 North st.

TWO SMALL STORES to let, Nos. 954 and 956 Gorham st., at railroad bridge; rent $7 each per month. Will fix them up to suit tenant. Inquire at 937 Gorham st.

NEW 4 AND 5 ROOM FLATS to let on Elm st., $6 and $7 per month. Inquire Jas. Flynn, 50 Elm st., or Flynn's market.

FURNISHED or UNFURNISHED rooms to let for light housekeeping. Steam heat, electric light. 75 East Merrimack st.

STORE TO LET cor. Broadway and Willie st. Inquire O'Brien's drug store.

LOST AND FOUND

POCKETBOOK lost between South common and depot, Sept. 27. Reward if returned to 16 Keene street.

SMALL GUN METAL WATCH with gold mountings and fob lost Sept. 20th. Open face; monogram on back. Reward for return at 42 Central st. M. Madigan.

AN OPAL RING with four initials on inside, lost Sept. 25, on either Merrimack st. or Decatur ave. Return to Mrs. Rose Perigny, 9 Decatur ave. Reward.

GOLD CHAIN CHARM lost, pear shaped nugget. Reward, C. A. Spencer, 29 Middle St.

SUM OF MONEY lost, last week, between Agawam and Central streets, by way of Lawrence, Swift and Whipple streets. Reward at 50 Agawam street.

GOLD CROSS AND CHAIN lost Friday, Sept. 17, either in Theatre La Scala or St. Peter's church, or on Gorham st. Reward if returned to 17 Burns st.

FOR SALE

SECOND HAND GODDARD BUGGY for sale, in first class condition. Apply 805 Merrimack st.

AUTO CAR RUNABOUT, $300. Overhauled and painted in spring. Tires in good condition. Car is equipped with top, headlights and generator. Can be seen at Morrissey's stable, Andover, Mass.

BABY CARRIAGE for sale. Inquire 235 Mt. Hope st.

LODGING HOUSE for sale. Owner to leave city, cause for selling. Inquire 94 John st.

GRAPHOPHONE, horn, stand and 10 records for sale. John H. Stewart, 11 Belton place, off Franklin st.

HANDSOME MARE for sale, that has been driven by two little girls, must be someone who will give her a good home, no one else need apply. Cheap to right party. Rear 56 Franklin st.

NEW RANGE and PARLOR STOVE for sale. Write H. C. B., Sun Office.

KITCHEN and PARLOR STOVE for sale. Inquire E. W. Nelson, 153 Moore st.

FURNITURE for sale. Bureaus, commode, pictures, chairs, beds, stoves and kitchen utensils. Call at 53 North St., Number 4 in rear.

FOR SALE

ONE KITCHEN RANGE, gas range with modern improvements, oak dining table, 3-piece mahogany parlor set, nearly new, brass bed, hair mattress, springs and four gas heaters. Call 657 Westford street. Must sell immediately as the owner is leaving the city.

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b6.44	7.53	8.15	9.01
6.49	7.30	9.00	9.39
7.01	8.00	9.45	9.52
7.22	8.05	10.00	10.37
z7.31	8.50	b10.21	11.34
7.44	8.35	11.30	12.07
8.48	9.25	12.00	12.58
8.56	9.35	1.00	1.57
b9.27	10.35	1.15	1.52
9.32	10.19	2.00	3.04
10.45	11.40	3.00	3.37
11.38	12.20	3.44	4.21
12.12	1.00	b3.51	5.02
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2.41	3.33	5.00	5.37
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4.03	4.50	5.38	6.28
4.28	5.30	b5.51	7.05
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b6.10	7.19	7.30	8.08
6.28	7.10	8.30	9.08
7.36	8.20	10.30	11.34
8.21	9.10	11.17	12.54
10.00	10.40	11.20	12.18

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	9.20	8.00	9.08
12.10	1.16	12.00	1.00
3.50	6.00	2.14	3.28
5.45	7.50	3.30	4.41
8.50	10.02	5.20	6.38
		8.40	9.42

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To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.46	7.55	z7.00	8.10
8.04	8.55	7.30	8.52
9.20	10.44	9.24	10.35
10.50	11.55	10.55	11.52
12.05	1.10	11.50	12.54
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3.10	4.14	3.30	4.39
4.25	5.35	4.50	5.58
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7.00	8.00	6.35	7.45
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7.22	8.05	10.00	10.37
8.00	8.40	11.30	12.07
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9.20	10.16	5.00	6.02
10.30	11.33	7.30	8.08
2.25	3.27	8.30	9.08
5.10	6.00	9.00	10.02
6.25	7.10	10.14	10.51
7.36	8.20	10.29	11.35

LOCAL NEWS

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Gilmore's orchestra, North Chelmsford, Friday evening.

When placing insurance consult J. F. Donohoe, Donovan building. Tel.

Dr. Clifford wishes to notify his customers that he has returned and is again ready for business at 95 Westford St.

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Miss Kittie Flennerhassett will have her fall display of millinery on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 1 and 2, at her parlors, rooms 45-46 Central block.

CALLED A DRAW

Lauden Entered the Ring a Favorite

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—Leonard Lauden, the California lightweight, entered the ring a warm favorite over Morris Bloom of Chicago last night at the Phoenix A. C., but the best he could get was a draw at the end of the eighth round. The contest ended with Lauden the stronger.

SENATOR ALDRICH

GUEST OF GOVERNOR OF BANK OF PARIS

PARIS, Sept. 28.—Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island and Prof. Andrews, who are here gathering information for the report of the monetary commission are the recipients of great attention. They have been dined by M. Pallain, governor of the bank of France, M. Cochery, minister of finance, and the heads of several prominent French credit institutions and they have had a number of interviews with financial experts.

TEXTILE SCHOOL

REGISTRATION FOR EVENING CLASSES OPENS TOMORROW.

The evening classes of the Lowell Textile school will open on October 18th and registration will begin tomorrow evening and continue every Thursday evening until the opening of the session.

The GILBRIDE Dry Goods Co.

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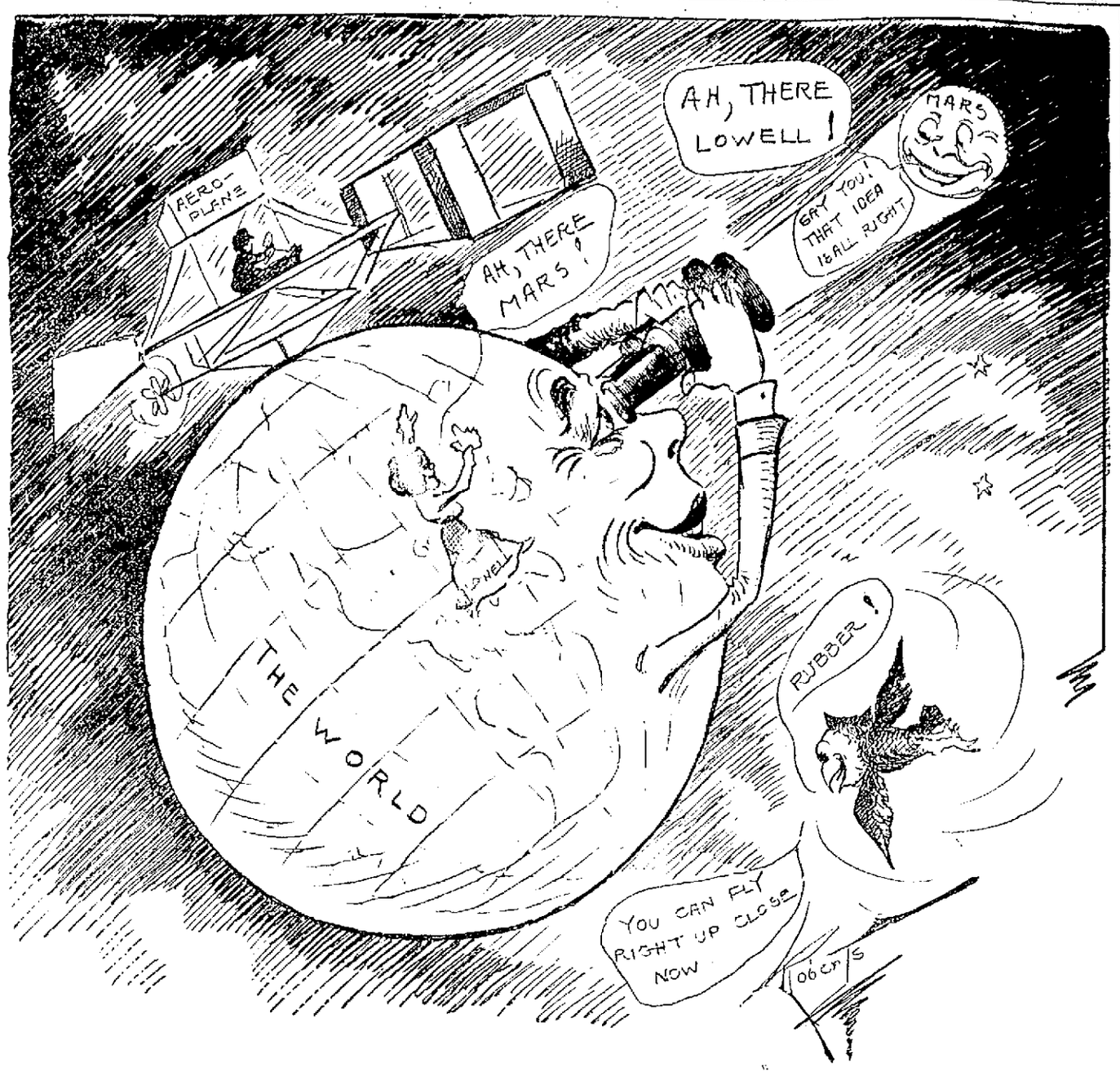

PIPE DREAM POSSIBILITIES OF THE FUTURE

HOLDUP IN SALOON

One Man Killed and Two Others Seriously Wounded

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 25.—One man is dead and two others are in a hospital in this city suffering from bullet wounds as the result of a holdup in a saloon at Yorke road and Lycoming street in the northern part of the city late last night. The highwayman who was masked made his escape. The dead man who was shot through the abdomen was Jas. Quinn, 23 years of age, an elevator operator and son of the proprietor of the saloon. The wounded men are Henry Sailor aged 23 and John J. Cassidy, 37. Sailor has a bullet wound under the heart and his condition is serious. Cassidy was not badly hurt.

Patrick J. Quinn, the proprietor of the saloon, informed his family that he was going to attend a lodge meeting and his son agreed to look after the place. Before leaving the saloon the elder Quinn treated all in the place to drinks. Before his death in the hospital Young Quinn said it was one of the men who was treated that later did the shooting. It was raining hard last night and young Quinn and the two customers were chatting in the well lighted saloon when the men walked into the place and up to the bar. Quinn prepared to wait upon them when he found himself looking into the barrel of a revolver.

"Everybody, hands up," was the robber's first command and this was followed by the order to open the cash drawer. Quinn opened the cash drawer, but he did not move quick enough to suit the robber and he called out, "Hurry up, you."

Quinn seized a handful of bills, about $17, when the man fired the first shot. The bullet struck Quinn in the abdomen. The wounded man with several bills in his hand fell to the floor. The police have a theory that the robber thought Quinn, who was fumbling in the drawer was looking for a revolver. Cassidy and Sailor then ran for the door. The robber swung around and said: "Stand where you are. You are not going out and bring the police down on me."

Cassidy says he stopped but not quickly enough for the robber and was shot in the side. What happened to Sailor is not fully known. At the hospital he was only able to say that the robber had shot him, taken his valuables and fled.

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EXHIBITION OF FALL MILLINERY

Miss Ella M. Burke at 20 Palmer street, in the Pollard building, held her fall and winter opening yesterday and today, and while the weather conditions were not what the ladies would like, a very large number was attracted to her beautiful millinery parlors knowing that there would be something out of the ordinary to be seen.

The parlors were beautifully decorated with hydrangeas, Jacqueminot roses and cut flowers which added greatly to the attraction of the display of original and up-to-date millinery. Miss Burke has always been considered one of the most expert milliners in this city, and the display at her store this year seems to exceed that of former years, and no doubt her patronage will be larger than ever. All the ladies have to do is to call at this fashionable establishment and they are sure to find just what they want in the millinery line. The formal opening will continue the rest of the week and all are cordially invited to call.

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All the Snappy Shapes

For Fall and Winter

Every young man wants Snap and Style to the hat he wears. It is the finishing touch that completes the smart appearance of his dress. In our new and complete assortment of

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BOSTON DOCTOR TALKS

To Lowell People on the Great Tonic Theory

SICKNESS STOPPED AND DEATH AVERTED

Hear About It Today Yourself

Dr. O'Donnell, the Boston physician, says he is glad to meet the people of Lowell and tell them about the tonic theory that brings health, happiness and long life to all who will follow it out.

It is one of nature's wonderful secrets at last discovered and laid bare to the eyes of mankind.

The doctor has today brought cheer and comfort to many sick people who have called on him.

He wants every sick person in Lowell to see him while he is here.

Dr. O'Donnell can explain it all in a way you can understand. See him today. The most important thing in your life.

It is every married man's duty to take care of his health and keep himself strong and vigorous for only so can he be the best husband and father.

It is the wife's duty to save herself from sickness and weaknesses. Let her be healthy and she will continue to be beautiful and attractive.

We all owe it to ourselves to gain health and vitality and keep them.

This man, Dr. O'Donnell, will tell you how to overcome all your bodily ills. But you must present to him the coupon printed at the bottom of this article and he will then make no charge whatever for talking with you.

You will find Dr. O'Donnell at A. W. Dows' store, where he is making his headquarters while here in Lowell.

This is Dr. O'Donnell's first visit to Lowell. He is receiving words of praise and blessing from Lowell people who have seen him, and have learned from him the path to health, happiness and peace of mind.

No matter what your sickness is, see him today. He will show you how to save yourself.

CONSULTATION COUPON Present This to Dr. O'Donnell

Present this coupon to Dr. O'Donnell at A. W. Dows' drug store, cor. Central and Merrimack streets. Do it at once. Tell Dr. O'Donnell just how you feel and what you think your trouble is. He will show you the way to health through the tonic theory.

THE VESPER CLUB

Defeated Winchester Club at Golf

There was a two-ball foursome team match between Winchester and the Vesper Country club at the Country club golf links Saturday the local team winning. The score was as follows:

WINCHESTER C. C.

	Points
W. Bond and Dunbar	0
Capt. Brooks and Bouve	0
W. Kingsley and Dunbar	1
	1

VESPER C. C.

	Points
T. T. Clark and J. Thorpe	1
H. J. Corwin and F. Stuart	1
R. W. Gleason and W. G. Eaton	0
	2

A return match, singles, will be played at Winchester October 2.

Saturday's contest in the club series was a medal play handicap (select from two consecutive rounds the lowest score). This was won by R. W. Thompson with a net score of 37. The scores:

	Gross	Hdcp	Net
R. W. Thompson	44	7	37
A. D. Butterfield	43	5	38
A. H. Sweatt	44	6	38
F. G. Farquhar	45	7	38
P. M. Bramhall	45	7	38
I. C. Eaton	51	13	38
H. J. Corwin	42	3	39
Joseph Peabody	48	5	43
J. B. Hylan	No card		
T. Nesmith, jr.	No card		

In the championship consolation the following are drawn to play: A. K. Chadwick vs. J. K. Whittier; C. H. Dutton vs. D. D. Bartlett; A. H. Morton vs. Joseph Peabody; Frank Stuart vs. F. T. Clark.

The second round of championship play must be completed on or before Oct. 2. The matches are as follows: Gleason vs. Putnam; Corwin vs. Sherman; Eaton vs. Sweatt; Brown vs. Knapp.

Money deposited in the Lowell Five Cent Savings bank on or before Saturday, October 2, 1909, begins to draw interest from that date.

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Office 162 Market Street, Lowell, Mass. Tel. 2258-5

Wednesday, September 29th, 1909
AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.
At 494 Middlesex St., Near Depot.
I WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION HARNESS STOCK, FIXTURES AND TOOLS OF THE G. W. McELROY HARNESS CO. $5,000 STOCK.

Harnesses of all descriptions, such as express, carryall, light farm and team single and double harnesses, extra collars, leather halters, tie ropes, etc. Also parts that are in process of making. All harnesses to be sold were made by the best workmen and will give the best satisfaction, as the reputation of this firm has been the best.

Street and stable blankets, fur and plush robes, all new stock this season.

Whips, curry combs, brushes, trimmings, greases, polish, tools, sewing machines, show cases, benches, desks, safe, chairs, in fact everything that goes to make a complete harness store. This stock and fixtures to be sold regardless of cost.

Sale rain or shine. Store large enough to accommodate all who come.
J. M. FARRELL, in Full Charge.

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Saturday, Oct. 2, at 3 p. m.
AT 63 BARTLETT STREET A COTTAGE HOUSE, BARN AND CARRIAGE SHED AND ABOUT 3500 SQUARE FEET OF LAND.

We have instructed the auctioneer to sell on the premises regardless of any condition of the weather the above property. The house which consists of eight rooms, has five rooms on the first floor and three chambers on the next. It has been recently papered and painted and has slated roof. The barn has four stalls and two large carriage sheds. This would make a very nice home for someone who keeps a few horses as it is very centrally located. Now then if you want to locate in Belvidere this is your opportunity.
Terms—$200 to be paid to the auctioneer as soon as struck off.
JOSEPH F. AND MARY A. FAY,
Administrators of the will of Peter A. Fay.

WALTER E. GUYETTE, Auctioneer
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AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE ON THE PREMISES, NO. 2 DUDLEY COURT, COR. NEW FLETCHER STREET, SATURDAY, OCT. 2, AT 1.30 O'CLOCK P. M.

I will sell at public auction at the above address the contents of a six room house, consisting in part of beds, bedding, commodes, bureaus, carpets, pictures, Household sewing machine, Elmwood range, No. 8 in first class condition, two oil stoves, bed lounge, couch, and numerous other articles of which space can't allow. Terms: Cash. By order of NEIL KNUTSON.

C. H. HANSON & CO., Inc., Auctioneers

Tomorrow Afternoon at 3 O'Clock

We will sell the furnishings of the eight-room house, 188 Liberty street. Most of the property is as good as new, only been used one year.

THE WEATHER

Unsettled weather, occasionally showers tonight and possibly Wednesday; moderate to brisk easterly to southerly winds

THE LOWELL SUN

7 O'CLOCK

ESTABLISHED 1878 LOWELL MASS. TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 28 1909 PRICE ONE CENT

EXTRA

EIGHT DROWNED

When the Norwegian Steamer Foundered 60 Miles at Sea

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.—Eight men were drowned and seven had a narrow escape from death by the foundering at noon on Saturday of the Norwegian steamer Gere, six miles from the Winter Quarter lightship which is stationed fifty miles south of the Delaware Capes and sixty miles at sea. The seven men who were saved arrived here on the British steamer Arroyo which took them from the lightship before reported as having the shipwrecked seamen aboard. The men saved are Julius Meyer, the captain, and six seamen. They are now in the care of the Norwegian consul in this city.

The men said the Gere which left here Friday with a crew of 15 and a cargo of coal for Sagua la Grande, Cuba, encountered rough weather after passing out the Delaware capes. Off the Winter quarter lightship when only three men were on deck an unusually heavy sea struck the steamer and it keeled over at a dangerous angle. She was repeatedly struck by high seas and finally went over on her side. In the meantime the other members of the crew came on deck and secured life belts. Nothing could be done to right the vessel and as she was rapidly settling the crew looked about for safety. The only boat had been swept from the davits and was ~~floating away,~~ therefore there was nothing for the men to do but jump into the sea. All of them managed to find timber or other floating objects from the ship which went to the bottom within about three minutes and the stronger swimmers struck out for the drifting boat. The little craft was floating bottom up. She was finally righted and enough water was gotten out to put two men in it and with the aid of their hands and a pair of marine glasses they scooped enough water out to permit others to climb in.

Meanwhile the weakest swimmers and two that could not swim went down one by one. When the water was finally out of the boat the last remaining man clinging to it was hauled in and it was found that seven were missing.

A small mast with sails attached which was recognized as having belonged to one of the crew, was spied floating near and one of the men jumped overboard and towed it to the boat. It was erected and with this jury-mast they floated before the wind until 4.30 p.m., when they sighted the Winter Quarter lightship. They guided the boat the best they could and soon came near enough to the ship to be taken on board.

Members of the crew say the captain and chief engineer, H. H. Neilsen, a Norwegian, were the last to leave the ship. The engineer was drowned.

The men who lost their lives besides the engineer are:

Ivan Sutsu, second engineer.

Yon Drnland, fireman.

August Anderson, fireman.

John J. Humphreys, Yonkers, N. Y., coal passer.

Otto Steen, Norway, seaman.

S. Hansen, Norway, second mate.

K. Knudsen, steward.

The rapidity with which the Gere sank is believed to have been due to an unusually heavy load of coal. It was commented upon as the Gere passed down the Delaware river that she had only about nine inches of free board.

POLICE BOARD

To Hold a Meeting This Evening

The regular meeting of the board of police is scheduled to take place tonight and besides the regular routine business there are four hearings scheduled. Without doubt the hearings will be postponed as others have been.

The hearings in order for tonight are those on complaints against the Old Washington Tavern, A. F. Roach & Co., John J. Brennan and A. Robinson & Co., who are charged with violating the conditions of their licenses, the complaints having been made during the time that Simon B. Harris was chairman of the board.

Several similar complaints have been brought and hearings on the same postponed pending the action of Judge Dana on the police board removal and it is expected that when the matters are brought up tonight, postponements will be in order.

Modernize Your Cleaning Methods

The fall home cleaning should be done by the modern sanitary method of sucking the dirt from the carpet, rug or wall direct into a receptacle from which it can be destroyed.

You can hire our vacuum cleaner by the day. Anyone can operate it. Telephone your order.

The Lowell Electric Light Corp.

50 Central St.

CLASS INITIATION

TO BE HELD BY DIVISION 8, A. O. H.

The regular meeting of Division 8, A. O. H., was held last evening and considerable business was transacted. Ten propositions for membership were received and three candidates were initiated. It was announced that the Hibernians will meet at their hall at 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon and at 1.15 headed by the Lowell Military band will march to Davis Square to take part in the procession that will escort Archbishop O'Connell to the Sacred Heart church. The members of Division 8 will wear caps, sashes and white gloves. The swords will not be a part of the regalia on this occasion. A class initiation will be held by Division 11 the last meeting in November and it is expected that the degree will be conferred by the staff of the Malden Hibernians. It is expected that this class will be the largest ever initiated and a beautiful badge valued at $10 will be presented the member who brings in the most applicants.

REQUIEM MASS

A requiem mass for the repose of the soul of Patrick B. Maher will be celebrated Friday morning at 8 o'clock at St. Michael's church.

DEATHS

MURPHY—William Murphy, aged 57 years, died this morning at the City hospital. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers T. J. McDermott.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. John Sheehan, the well-known letter carrier, and Miss Catherine Devine, daughter of Mrs. Mary Devine of Kinsman street, were married at the rectory of St. Peter's church at 9.30 o'clock this forenoon. Rev. Dr. Keleher performed the ceremony. The bridemaid was Miss Annie M. Devine, cousin of the bride, and the bridegroom was attended by his cousin, Mr. Michael Sheehan. The bride wore a white silk dress, white picture hat and carried bride roses. The bridemaid wore blue silk, picture hat and carried American Beauty roses.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother in Kinsman street and was attended by relatives and friends including several from Lawrence and Peabody. The D. L. Page company catered.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheehan left for an extended wedding trip which will include New York city, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Niagara Falls.

INTEREST

Begins

SATURDAY

October 2

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

Traders National Bank

Hours, 8.30 to 2; Saturdays, 8.30 to 12.30, 7 to 9.

HARRY WHITNEY

Repeats His Interview With Explorer Cook

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Sept. 28.—The Arctic vessel Jeannie, with Harry Whitney, the New Haven big game hunter, on board, has arrived here from the Greenland coast by way of Indian Harbor, Lab.

Mr. Whitney was questioned regarding the statements made to him by Dr. Frederick Cook in Greenland. He said that Cook arrived at Annatok in April of this year and declared that he had reached the North pole a year ago. He pledged Whitney, however, not to tell Commander Peary, who was to be informed only that Cook had gone farther north than Peary's previous record.

Dr. Cook told Whitney that he had accomplished all he expected to and more besides and that he was through with the northern country. Whitney did not communicate the latter part of this statement to Commander Peary.

Continuing Mr. Whitney said that Dr. Cook had complained to him of Peary's taking over of his house and stores but declared that he had suffered no unfairness. Peary's steward, William Pritchard, was present when these statements were made. Like Mr. Whitney he was pledged to secrecy by Dr. Cook. Murphy, Peary's boatswain who was in charge of the stores, was absent at Etah on this day and did not hear Dr. Cook's communications.

There were two houses on the Greenland shore, one at Annatok holding Cook's stores and another at Etah holding Peary's stores. The three white men, Whitney, Murphy and Pritchard, sometimes occupied one ~~and~~ sometimes the other of these houses.

Murphy was in charge of both houses. He is not able to read or write. He had written instructions from Peary which Whitney at Peary's request, read over to him from time to time. Those instructions were very stringent. They directed Murphy to use Cook's stores first and Peary's afterwards. Murphy was told in them that he was to give Dr. Cook every help if he came along in a needy condition and furthermore the instructions implied that Murphy was to organize an expedition to search for Dr. Cook but according to Mr. Whitney this part of the instructions was worded very ambiguously. Mr. Whitney said that Dr. Cook had a copy of these instructions and would doubtless make them public. Murphy treated Cook very civilly and Cook suffered no discourtesy.

When Dr. Cook and his Eskimos arrived at the house they had no sledge. Being too tired to drag it over the rough ice they had left it twenty miles from Etah. The following day some other Eskimos went out, recovered the sledges and brought them in. On them were Dr. Cook's instruments, clothes and food. After spending two days at Annatok, where Cook first met Whitney, Cook started for Etah. Whitney accompanied him. Whitney remained three days at Etah organizing for his hunting trip. The doctor had figured out roughly the date that he would likely get to Uppernavik and when the Dundee whalers or the Danish store ships would reach there and he argued that he had no time to lose. He planned originally to take two Eskimos and two sledges but an Eskimo fell sick and this made it necessary for him to cut down the luggage he could take with him south. He consequently asked Whitney to take charge of the instruments with which he made observations at the pole. There were three cases, one containing a sextant, another an artificial horizon, and the third an instrument which Mr. Whitney said he could not recall. It possibly might have been a chronometer. Cook left no written records with Whitney that Whitney is aware of. There may have been some records, however, in the other boxes in which Cook packed his clothes and his personal effects, but Cook did not tell Whitney especially that he was leaving any written records with him. Mr. Whitney was very positive about this.

After Cook's departure for the south Whitney resumed his hunting. He took over Cook's two Eskimos, Etukishu's and Arwalaly to show him the country where Cook had shot musk oxen. This they did and Whitney hauled all the oxen he could carry away on his sledges. He said he found his two Eskimos to be quite satisfactory in subordinate capacities but he knows nothing of their value in a dash across the Polar sea. Then continuing, Mr. Whitney said that last month when Peary on board the Roosevelt reached Etah from the north after his winter's work there, he (Whitney) informed him of Dr. Cook's arrival in April, adding that Cook had told him (Whitney), to tell Peary that Cook had gone beyond Peary's Farthest North. Peary made no comment on this and Whitney said he was not asked any other questions by Peary. But the next day Cook's Eskimos came to Whitney and asked him what Peary's men were trying to get them to say. Peary's men had shown the Eskimos papers and maps but the Eskimos declared they did not understand these papers. So far as Mr. Whitney is aware Cook's Eskimos never admitted that while with the doctor they had only progressed two "sleeps" from land.

The day the Roosevelt was leaving Etah for home Whitney told Peary that Cook had entrusted to him certain belongings to bring home on the vessel that was coming for Whitney but as this ship had not arrived Whitney was at a loss what to do with this property. Peary declined to permit Dr. Cook's belongings to be brought aboard the Roosevelt and he put Whitney on his honor not to include anything belonging to Dr. Cook in his own luggage. Whitney thereupon went ashore from the Roosevelt, separated Cook's property from his own baggage and with the aid of Captain Robert Bartlett, commander of the Roosevelt, whom he had asked to help him, repacked Cook's property in boxes. After this had been done Whitney and Bartlett cached all Cook's property in a cave in the rocks. They built up the cave securely with stones and turf and left it and the property in charge of one of Dr. Cook's Eskimos. There was nowhere else to put Dr. Cook's property as Peary's house had been dismantled and his stores given to his Eskimos and as all the material and stores in Cook's house at Annatok had been destroyed. It may be remarked in passing, Mr. Whitney went on, that ten years ago Peary did with the explorer Sverdrup who was cruising in Smith sound what he had done with Cook; he refused to bring back any of Sverdrup's letters or records.

Continuing his recital, Mr. Whitney said that when the Roosevelt left Etah she proceeded south and on meeting the Jeannie Whitney transferred to this vessel.

Asked why he did not return to Etah and get Cook's property after he had joined the Jeannie, Whitney replied that he ~~and Captain~~ Bartlett debated that point at length. Bartlett wanted him to go back but he was in this predicament. He had promised his chief Eskimo a Winchester rifle, which was to have been brought up by the Jeannie. But for some reason or another this weapon was not on board the Jeannie and before Whitney left Etah he had arranged the matter with the Eskimo by giving him an equivalent for the rifle. He explained that he did not like to go back to Etah and when asked for the rifle have to admit that it was not on board. Mr. Whitney therefore decided to go bear-hunting.

In conclusion Mr. Whitney declared that he regretted being dragged into this controversy. He said he had found both Dr. Cook and Commander Peary most courteous and considerate and that he had never met any men whose conduct generally was more commendable or whose dealing with him had been more fair.

GENL. HUBBARD

IN CONFERENCE WITH PEARY AGAIN TODAY

BAR HARBOR, Me., Sept. 28.—General Thomas Hubbard, president of the Peary Arctic club and Commander Peary were again in conference today over the proofs which Mr. Peary has gathered together from various sources to show, as he says, that Dr. Frederick A. Cook did not reach the pole. No statement from Commander Peary or Gen. Hubbard was forthcoming this morning on the proceedings of the conference, but it was said that it would probably continue all day.

Commander Peary is anxious to make a full statement of the whole matter, but this will hardly be done until the officers of the Peary Arctic club have passed on the statement. The proofs which Commander Peary will offer are of various character, some of which in a court of law would be described as direct evidence while other proofs depend entirely on process of deductions from certain given facts. The equipment and expedition of Dr. Cook will be described in detail and again its alleged accomplishment in travelling to the pole and return will be compared to the work of the expeditions of Peary and other Arctic explorers.

Dr. Cook's experience with Arctic expeditions and his method of keeping the records and his disposition of them in part to Harry Whitney, a stranger to him, will play no small part in Commander Peary's proof. It is a combination of facts and data which in their cumulative strength Commander Peary believes will cut the ground from under Cook's claim. Commander Peary and his wife may not return to Portland before tomorrow.

Gen. Thomas Hubbard declared today that he had made no statement regarding the Peary proofs and that any statement purporting to give the points in the Peary-proof in the Cook controversy or a forecast of it was unauthorized.

Commander Peary will be here until tomorrow. He hopes to be able to take part in the Hudson-Fulton naval parade on Friday after which he will return to his home at Eagle Island.

Gen. Hubbard said:

"I have made no statements against Dr. Cook nor has any arraignment of him been drawn. The proofs to be made public later will simply be a statement of facts and will be submitted without argument. The facts will speak for themselves. The statements will be fairly long and not divided up in counts as has been reported."

Gen. Hubbard said that the officers of the Peary Arctic club would examine the statement carefully before it was made public.

"Any suggestions for modification of language," added Gen. Hubbard, "of course will be given to Commander Peary for his approval. The officers of the Peary Arctic club will not and cannot take from or add to the facts in the case."

STEAMER LOST

Every Man on Board But One Perished

RANGOON, Burmah, Sept. 28.—The British Steamer Clan MacKintosh belonging to the Madras Steam Navigation Co., is reported to have blown up at sea. Every man on board with one exception is said to have perished. The Clan MacKintosh was on her way from Rangoon to Calcutta to be fitted out with new berths.

AN INJUNCTION GRANTED

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—The Sederquist, Barry Co., now bankrupt, its trustees Charles F. Weed, the firm of Wiggin & Elwell and the American Trust Co. are affected by an injunction granted today to Joseph Mooney in the superior court in which they are restrained from disposing in any manner of American Banking Co. bonds valued at $10,000. Mr. Mooney claims that he deposited the ten bonds with Sederquist, Barry & Co. last November to cover market transactions. He alleges that the bonds were transferred to Wiggin & Elwell, the latter falsely maintaining, the plaintiff declares, that the now bankrupt firm owed them money. Mr. Mooney claims that in spite of the transfer he has been charged interest by Sederquist, Barry & Co. since. He seeks to recover both bonds and interest.

SIMPLE SERVICES

At Funeral of Hon. Charles D. Palmer Today

State and City Officially Represented—City Hall Closed Out of Respect to the Dead

The funeral of the late Charles D. Palmer, member of the state board of arbitration, ex-mayor and one of Lowell's best known and most popular citizens, took place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from his home, 123 Fairmount street and was largely attended. There were present besides many of Lowell's most prominent citizens in both public and private life, including five of Lowell's ex-mayors, several friends from the state house including Hon. R. P. Barry and Hon. B. F. Supple of the state board of arbitration. There were many beautiful floral tributes laid upon the bier by those who were unaware of the family's wish that there be no flowers. The funeral services were simple but impressive and were conducted by Rev. George C. Wright. There was no singing.

At the service was a delegation from the city council headed by the mayor and many of the heads of departments, for city hall was closed this afternoon out of respect for the deceased. Also present was a delegation from the Elks, of which organization the deceased was a popular member, consisting of Exalted Ruler William S. Grady, Ex-Mayor Bro. James B. Casey, Senator Bro. Joseph H. Hibbard, Past Exalted Ruler Frank Marsh Merrill, Bro. Laforest Beals, Bro. Dr. Frank O'Sullivan, and Bro. Philip P. Connors. The bearers were four ex-mayors, Hon. Edward J. Noyes, Hon. George W. Fifield, Hon. John J. Pickman, and Hon. Charles E. Howe, and Hon. R. P. Barry and Hon. B. F. Supple of the state board of arbitration. The interment was in the family lot in the Hildreth cemetery and was in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Frank K. Stearns.

GOV. QUINBY NAMED DELEGATES

CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 28.—Gov. Quinby has appointed Col. Straw of Manchester and Col. Leighton of Dublin as delegates from New Hampshire to the deeper waterways convention at New Orleans, La., October 31, November 1 and 2.

CLAIMS ALLOWED

Favorable Action by Committee of the City Council

The committee on claims heard more petitioners for personal and property injury last week than were ever heard at one meeting in the committee's history. The committee met last Thursday and Friday and the following report relative to the committee's recommendations on claims will go to the common council tonight: Leave to withdraw, F. H. Safford, William Clark, Irvin A. Foote, Philip Gauthier, Sarah A. Wood, Katherine L. Cowdrey, Hermon Peiffer, Alice Peiffer, Thomas Callahan, Bernard A. Connor, Joseph Dube, Jr., all asking compensation for personal or property injuries were given leave to withdraw.

The following awards were made by the committee: George Husson, sewer damage, Suffolk street, $75; John Mehan, injured in Oakland sewer, $124; Thomas M. Burns, injured in Prescott street sewer when the sewer was being lowered a few weeks ago, $116; Colin MacDonald, damage to house in Andover street by blasting in Oakland sewer, $100; Edith H. Morse, hurt in Billerica street by hose, $25; Mary J. Allen, injured by fall in Suffolk street, $150; Alice MacCormick, injured by fall in Rogers street, $100; Rebecca Kennedy, injured in Moody street, $50; Helen E. Estabrook, injured in Plain street, $100; Mary A. Keyes, injured in Quebec street, $100; Isabella Scallion, injured in High street, $35; Katherine Kelley, injured in East Merrimack street, $100; Frank O. Shaw, injured by stepping on pick in Merrimack street, $50.

Two of the local militia companies, C and K, were reimbursed for expenses connected with long range rifle practice at the state range in Wakefield. Company K was awarded $191 and Co. C $40.

NORMAL SCHOOL

174 Pupils Are Registered at the Institution

The number of students registered at the state normal school in Broadway for the term just opened is 174, the largest in the history of the school and so large as to require the putting in of more furniture and books. The attendance last year was considered very good. The students numbered 145 and the attendance this term shows a gain of more than twenty per cent. over last year.

The students have come from the various preparatory schools in this section of the country. The greatest numbers are from Lowell and Lawrence. Haverhill is third.

There is a large contingent from New Hampshire. The school is always well patronized by New Hampshire-ites but this year the contingent is larger than ever, due, in a great measure, to the fact that the normal school at Nashua was abolished last year and the whole senior class came to Lowell this year.

GAMES POSTPONED

American at Boston—Boston-St. Louis double-header called off, rain.

6 O'CLOCK

HISTORIC PAGEANT

Seen in Grand Street Parade in New York Today

The Cost of the Floats Estimated at $800,000—Fifty-Four Floats With Nearly 20,000 Men in Costume, Representing Every Patriotic Society, Posing as Historic Personages

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—The [illegible] of the Hudson-Fulton celebration today was the route chosen for the historical pageant of [illegible] floats. Central Park west of Fifth avenue extending almost in a straight line with a slight elbow at Forty-Ninth street from One Hundredth street to Fourth street at the foot of Washington square today made ready to accommodate as many spectators as could crowd the buildings and stands on both sides to see the review by which the celebration committee has attempted to illustrate the periods of American history made famous by the achievements of Henry Hudson and Robert Fulton. The day opened with a drizzling rain, a reminder of that which interfered with the pleasure of yesterday's celebration, but this stopped before eight o'clock and the commission's promise that the historical pageant would not be abandoned for anything less than a hard downpour, started out the festival crowds in full numbers. Although there was a chance that Wilbur Wright and Glenn Curtiss might make brief trial flights off Governor island the sight seers were too occupied with the street display to flock to the Battery as they did yesterday and when these flights were the only out door feature of the celebration to be expected. It had been announced, however, that if the aviators flew at all their most spectacular efforts could not be expected until tomorrow. For the same reason little interest was shown in the New York-Albany balloon race. Owing to the high wind that still prevailed it was announced that there was almost no chance that the dirigibles would rise.

Today's pageant really represented the supreme effort of the committee. For several months workmen worked in an immense barnlike structure in Bronx park preparing the wood and plaster figures which today bright in paint and tinsel decorated the fifty-four floats in the procession. Nearly twenty thousand men, women and children, most of them in costume representing every national and patriotic society in the city posed as historic personages on these floats or marched between and beside them. The cost of the whole spectacle was $800,000.

The sum expended to enable several hundred thousand [illegible] Hudson-Fulton guests to view this spectacle was enormous. On every available spot along the four mile route of which stands had been erected and [illegible] paid for seats on the [illegible] from $1 to $5. Windows fronting on the two streets brought still larger prices and the threatening weather today [illegible] the value of windows [illegible].

The guests of the committee and the city numbered several thousand. The former occupied an immense stand constructed in front of the new public library on the west side of Fifth avenue. This was the reviewing stand and at this point on both sides of the street towered white pillars which at night the two blocks [illegible] illuminated to day-time brightness by thousands of electric bulbs.

This stand was [illegible] by the officers of the visiting warships and the celebration committee [illegible] their families and friends.

Another stand had been put up for subscribers to the [illegible] fund. It is estimated that when the parade started from 110th street early in the afternoon nearly a million spectators were jammed along the route between the Bronx and the [illegible] Central park west and Fifth avenue. The story unfolded by the floats and the costumed characters dealt with the history of New York and the country immediately surrounding [illegible]. Dutch, colonial and modern [illegible] named, however, carried the [illegible] further than the [illegible] and the introduction of water from Croton reservoir.

Leading the pageant were the officers of the city and the [illegible] Gen. Charles Roe of the national guard was grand marshal. The Irish societies led the first division, having in line about four hundred Friendly Sons of St. Patrick and the 2000 members of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, with after them marched 1500 from the Italian organizations, 1500 Polish, 250 Poles and 250 Hungarians all in costume. The title car New York which led the floats was followed by 250 Norwegians. A number of Iroquois Indians took part in the tableaux on the Indian floats that followed. After 1000 more members of the Italian societies and 1000 more Hibernians came the floats representing scenes in the early Dutch colonial, including representations of the Half Moon and the fate of Henry Hudson. One that attracted much attention was the car "St. Nicholas" which was attended by 2500 children. In order that the youngsters might not be wearied by the long march they served in relays along the route.

Swedish and Irish societies including 1500 members of the Clan-Na-Gael preceded the floats of the Colonial period and the members of various patriotic societies escorted the cars of the "modern" or United States period which composed the last division. "The reception to Lafayette," however, was accompanied by 200 members of the French societies and the car Garibaldi was escorted by members of the Italian societies including ten veterans who had served under the famous Italian liberator.

The other events of the day included a music festival in the Metropolitan Opera House.

All records for street crowds were broken today. In the eagerness to gain vantage points in the comparatively small space available for viewing the parade record prices were paid for windows, seats and even soap boxes. One colored porter of a Fifth avenue office building sold twenty wooden boxes at an average of two dollars a piece. The purchasers hastened to get the boxes on the curb and as the crowd packed tight around them to hold their positions they were forced to stand on their costly little pedestals for several hours before the parade appeared.

IN CONVENTION

Universalists Gathered at Portsmouth, N. H.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Sept. 28.—Members of the Universalist church throughout the state gathered in this city today for the annual convention of the denomination. The convention includes in addition to the church meeting the annual convention of the Sunday School association, Women's Missionary society and the Young People's Christian union. Today's program consisted of the Sunday school and Young People's Christian Union's convention and tomorrow the church convention will open with the [illegible] meeting in the afternoon. Thursday will be the closing day.

The Massachusetts clergymen were speakers at the Sunday school convention today, the Rev. James Jones of Arlington and the Rev. E. W. [illegible] of [illegible].

STRIKERS RETURN

BETTER SERVICE BEING GIVEN IN OMAHA

OMAHA, Neb., Sept. 28.—With [illegible] addition to the working force by the return of [illegible] strikers [illegible] [illegible]

THE MUNSEY TOUR

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—[illegible]

JEROME A CANDIDATE

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—[illegible]

NURSERY HANDICAP

NEWMARKET, Eng., Sept. 28.—[illegible] H. P. Whitney's [illegible] second and Simons II. third. Among the twenty starters was August Belmont's Boudoir which was unplaced.

The Baby's Common Ailments

Are little disturbances of the stomach, liver and bowels, and, as most every loving mothers know, they are generally the causes of the baby's irritability, restlessness and sleeplessness.

Ani-sen cures all these ailments and it does so by gently cleansing, stimulating and toning the system. It is absolutely free from alcohol, paregoric, opium, laudanum, morphine and all narcotics.

Try Ani-sen. Get it today, 25c.

MAY BE FREED

Mrs. Boyle Likely to get New Trial

PITTSBURG, Sept. 28.—Mrs. Helen Boyle, who was sentenced to 25 years' imprisonment in the Western penitentiary here for helping to kidnap Willie Whitla of Sharon, Pa., will be granted a new trial, probably. Her husband, James Boyle, is undergoing imprisonment for life, as the principal convicted of the kidnapping.

Although it was developed at her trial that Helen Boyle's life has been unusual, she [illegible] a pretty, ingenuous face which the rigors of prison life and prison tailor have rendered almost [illegible].

POLICE OFFICER

Acquitted on Charges Brought by Girl

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—Patrolman Voorhis A. Remsen of the Lynn police, who has been suspended under charges of conduct unbecoming an officer, was exonerated at a hearing before Mayor Rich and the committee on police at city hall, Lynn, yesterday afternoon. He was at once reinstated with full pay during his absence, and last evening was returned to his beat in Central Square.

Rose Staples of Lynn and Providence, who made the charge against Remsen, did not appear. She is supposed to have left Lynn.

Many prominent business men were on hand to speak a word in Remsen's favor, among them President R. S. Bauer of the Lynn board of trade, Thomas B. Knight, John H. Madden, the Rev. Henry H. Payne of the South Street Methodist church, who is Remsen's pastor, and others. Mrs. Remsen, a young woman and the mother of five children, sat quietly in a corner.

As soon as Mayor Rich told Remsen that he was reinstated, the officer came quickly to where his wife sat and, bending over her, whispered to her. With tears in her eyes, Mrs. Remsen seized his hand and then, jumping up, went about the room, shaking hands with everybody there.

PRICE OF WIFE

Man Sets the Cost at $10,000

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 28.—Suit for $10,000 against Count Santa Eulalia, husband of the widow of John B. Stetson, Philadelphia millionaire, may be filed in Chicago, according to Mrs. L. Brockett Bishop, friend of the countess, living at the La Salle hotel.

Breach of contract is the basis of the expected action and the prospective plaintiff is Mrs. William Ernst, who says she introduced the count to Mrs. Stetson in the belief that $10,000 would be paid her as matchmaker.

ED. ARUNDEL

AGAIN CHOSEN HEAD OF BASEBALL ASSOCIATION

LAWRENCE, Sept. 28.—The stockholders of the Lawrence baseball club met last night and discussed the situation of the team, after they had listened to the reports of President E. L. Arundel and Treasurer Barry T. O'Connell. Following the reports, the election of officers and board of directors took place. The officers elected were: E. L. Arundel, president; Barry T. O'Connell, treasurer; John W. Cullinane, clerk. The board of directors consists of the above officers and Thomas F. Brooks, John F. Finn, M. H. Gleason, C. P. Lynch, John W. Waterman and P. J. H[illegible]. The report of the treasurer showed that the club had lost about $[illegible] on the season, despite the good attendance and the fact that the team finished in [illegible] place. At the meeting of the board of directors after the stockholders' meeting, it was voted to consider applications for a manager, the president stating that three applications have already been received.

SAVED $7100

IN SIXTY YEARS ON $3 A MONTH

YORK, Penn., Sept. 28.—The will of Mrs. Anne [illegible], just probated, has [illegible] the economical Pennsylvania [illegible].

She was [illegible] for [illegible] 70 years, and never [illegible] more than $3 a month [illegible] a house worth $[illegible] and [illegible].

DEATHS

HERRON—William J. Herron, aged 61 years, [illegible] this morning at his late home, 217 [illegible] street. He [illegible] wife, three [illegible], Mr. [illegible] of Newark, N. J. [illegible].

SPALDING—[illegible] North [illegible] [illegible] New York city [illegible] survived by [illegible] Mrs. W. A. Den[illegible] of New York.

Mrs. Spalding [illegible] on a visit [illegible] the first [illegible] lingered [illegible] nearly a week, her case being [illegible] 71 years of age. The body [illegible] home for [illegible].

LUDY—Mrs. Mary J. Lucy died very suddenly yesterday at her home, 123 [illegible] street at the age of 74 years. The body was removed to the rooms of George W. Healey.

SARGENT—Mrs. Emma W. Sargent died Sunday night at the home of her stepson, Leonard S. Sargent, 19 Sixth street, at the age of 71 years and five months. She was the wife of the late Stephen [illegible] and leaves two stepsons, Leonard S. Sargent and Harry S. Sargent, and one sister, Mrs. Mary J. Bickford of Goshen, N. H.

VALUABLE CARGOES

Carried by Vessels That Arrived in Boston

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—Boston harbor had a day yesterday that brought joy to the chamber of commerce officials and all persons interested in seeing the city hold her share of the world's commerce.

Nine ocean steamers made port during the daylight hours and the wealth of the cargoes within their holds came very near reaching the $4,000,000 mark.

There were steamers from Liverpool, from Glasgow, from the West Indies and from Calcutta, the last mentioned being perhaps the most interesting on account of the story that her commander had to tell concerning the ravages of the cholera in that city and its vicinity.

"Black cholera" was the name that the commander of the Hansa line steamer Barenfels gave the plague, and when he talked with a reporter Captain Engelage stated that the natives of Calcutta were dying like sheep in the streets. "Just before leaving Calcutta," he said, "eight of the nurses at the European hospital perished and thousands of natives had also been stricken."

The Barenfels brought a cargo worth $1,000,000 and went through some terrific moments on the way across, two puppies valued at $500, dying of seasickness.

The entire force of immigration and customs officials were kept on the go all day long, taking care of the 2200 odd persons coming in on two of the passenger fleet. In Indian file the steamers entered the harbor, proceeding to their various berths, and requiring the services of a small fleet of tugs. The steamer Admiral Dewey, Captain Carlson, from Jamaican ports, was the first to arrive, berthing at Long wharf at 7 a.m. She had six passengers and a cargo of 24,000 bunches of bananas.

At 8:30 o'clock the big White Star liner Canopic, Captain Carter, reached Hoosac docks, Charlestown, after a splendid passage from the Mediterranean. She had 155 saloons, 129 second-class and 1113 steerage passengers, a total of 1389.

HERBERT K. SMITH HOME

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Herbert Knox Smith, member of the national waterways commission and chief of the bureau of corporations of the department of commerce and labor, arrived today on the steamer Krons Prinz Wilhelm from Bremen, Southampton and Cherbourg. Mr. Smith sailed from here with the members of the commission on August 10 last and sailed from her with the members of the commission on August 10 last and toured Europe, studying the waterways. Other passengers on the Kron Prinz Wilhelm were Andreas Dipple, Miss Geraldine Farrar, Alfred Hertz and Glenn Hall, the New American tenor, all of the Metropolitan Opera Co. The body of Mrs. Nelson Morris of Chicago, who was killed in an automobile accident near Fontainbleu, was brought back on the steamer by Ira Morris of Chicago, her son.

$10,000,000 FOR IRRIGATION

SPOKANE, Sept. 28.—In a speech on the conservation of the country's natural resources, delivered here today, President Taft declared that he would ask congress to authorize the issuance of $10,000,000 in bonds to complete irrigation projects already begun in the west and on which work had been stopped for lack of funds. This has been the hope of many settlers in the arid regions who had taken up land in expectation of procuring a supply of water to make them fertile, and the president's declaration was enthusiastically cheered.

THE TOBACCO POOL

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 28.—S. B. Haggin of New York, owner of the Elmendorf estate here, has signed his crop of Burley tobacco to the pooling movement it is announced today, thereby, the leaders think, assuring the success of the pool. The crop comprises the product of more than 300 acres and is estimated to be over a half million pounds, the largest crop of Burley tobacco in the world. The life or death of the pool will be decided Friday at the Winchester headquarters. J. H. Camden, who has the second largest crop, estimated today to be one hundred and eighty thousand pounds, has also entered the pool.

STRUCK BY TRAIN

Youth Killed While Going to Dinner

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—Francis Keohane, 17 years old, of 21 Burke street, was struck and instantly killed by an inward-bound train on the tracks of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, in the rear of the National [illegible] Roxbury, shortly [illegible] yesterday.

He was employed in the boiler room of the [illegible] Bur[illegible] and was [illegible] to his dinner [illegible] train [illegible].

[illegible] killed [illegible] on the [illegible] his [illegible] was waiting [illegible] was [illegible].

F. H. BRIGHAM

Indicted by the Federal Grand Jury

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 28.—F. H. [illegible] bookkeeper of the Merchants' National bank of this city, was indicted by the federal grand jury today on [illegible] of misapplication of funds of the bank to the amount of [illegible] and [illegible] false entries in the books of the bank. No bill was found on the charge of conspiracy with unknown parties to defraud the bank.

PERSONALS

Mr. J. H. Fader of Halifax, N. S., has just returned home after a most enjoyable tour of Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Rhode Island. It was Mr. Fader's first trip to the United States and he enjoyed his visit very much. While in Lowell he visited at the home of his son, Mr. W. S. Fader and with Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Lafleur in Seventh street where many pleasant evenings were spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton V. Lord of Lowell will spend the next two weeks in New York and Pennsylvania, visiting various points of interest. They will enjoy a sail down the Hudson to New York city, Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

Miss Georgia Osgood of Laconia, N. H., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Clark Glidden, in Middlesex street for a few days.

Dr. and Mrs. Demosthenes Generalis sailed Saturday for Greece, from New York, on the liner "Martha Washington" of the Greek-Austrian line. They will make their home in Athens henceforth.

Mrs. E. A. Wells has returned from Revere beach where she has been visiting friends.

REP. RILEY

HONORED BY ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY

The Observant Citizen in the Boston Post says:

The Ancient and Honorable Artillery company of Boston will have good and congenial company in the person of Representative Thomas P. Riley of Malden during the command's western trip to Milwaukee the latter part of this month. Mr. Riley, who will accompany the Ancients as their special guest, will respond to the toast "The Commonwealth of Massachusetts" at the big banquet which will be tendered the Boston artillerists in the western city.

Representative Riley is well and favorably known in Lowell among the Knights of Columbus before whom he lectured early this year. He is a close friend of Rep. Martin F. Conley of this city.

WOMAN LOST $12,000

Court Annuls the Legacy to Mrs. Nelson

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—Mrs. Lillian M. Nelson of 30 Mellen street, Dorchester, has lost a legacy said to amount to about $12,000 by the verdict of a jury which was rendered late yesterday afternoon in the supreme judicial court.

Under the will of the late Anna L. Shaw, who died at the advanced age of 94 as the result of a broken hip, Mrs. Nelson was to receive the residue of an estate valued at about $15,000, with the understanding, entered into before the will was executed, that Mrs. Nelson should care for an aged sister of Miss Shaw.

The sister died soon after Miss Shaw, and from the same cause, a broken hip.

This disposition of Miss Shaw's small fortune did not appeal to Mrs. Maria S. Fayres, another sister, and she instituted proceedings to break the will on the ground that her sister, who was some 10 years older than she, was of insufficient mental capacity to make a legal will, and also that undue influence had been exerted upon her while she was in the City hospital.

The case was first heard in the probate court, where the will was allowed by Judge George. It came before the supreme judicial court and a jury upon an appeal from that decision.

According to the testimony at the trial, which consumed the greater part of last week, one of the house physicians at the City hospital refused to allow a will to be executed there, as he did not think the aged woman was capable of making a valid will.

Another house physician took the stand and testified that in his opinion Miss Shaw was of unsound mind at the time she was in the hospital.

This opinion was contrary to that offered by Dr. Charles G. Dewey, who attended the testatrix when she was in the hospital.

It also appeared from testimony that Mrs. Nelson, whose husband is an engineer employed in the hospital, was a frequent visitor at the bedside of Miss Shaw and lavished attentions upon her.

CLERGYMAN'S WIFE A SUICIDE

CARDIFF, Wales, Sept. 28.—Margaret Price Evans, the wife of a New York clergyman, committed suicide at Penwyllt, Wales, today by shooting with a revolver. Mrs. Evans was visiting at Penwylit, her birthplace, after an absence of twenty years.

BALLOON RACE

Postponed Because of the High Wind

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—A northwest wind blowing 28 miles an hour caused the postponement today of the dirigible balloon race from New York to Albany for the New York World prize. It was planned to attempt a flight tomorrow if conditions favor.

Both Wilbur Wright and Glenn Curtiss went early to Governor's Island where their new aeroplanes are housed but after viewing the weather conditions both aviators said that there was little likelihood of a flight by them today and that they would not attempt to go up as long as the wind continued strong. Both machines are ready. It was announced that no public notification of the aeroplane flights would be given today because even if made they would be short and no more than test efforts.

RUSSELL CASE

Was Continued in Superior Court Today

CAMBRIDGE, Sept. 28.—The case growing out of the claim of D. B. Russell of Dickinson, N. D., to one-half the estate of Daniel Russell of Melrose is his son, was continued in the Middlesex court today. A capias was issued for the appearance in court of Mrs. Harriet Lynde of Melrose, an aunt of the petitioner who is expected to identify him. James P. Keating of New York recognized Russell as a boyhood chum and showed an autograph album with Russell's signature. This is said to closely correspond with samples of the claimant's writing of the present time.

Lowell, Tuesday, Sept. 28

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Pure Linen Napkins, 19 inches square, all new patterns, at **Only $1.29 a Dozen.** Regular price $1.50.

Brown's 22½x22½ Heavy Damask Napkins, at **Only $2.75 a Dozen.** Regular price $4.00.

Big Huck Towels, at **10c.** Regular price 12½c.

Linen Damask and Huck Towels, at **25c Each.** Regular price 33c.

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3000 yards of All Linen Crash, at **Only 8c a Yard.**

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LATEST

SIX MEN KILLED

In a Rear-end Train Collision at Chicago Today

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—Six men were killed and a dozen seriously injured early today when an outbound panhandle passenger train crashed into the rear end of a Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul stock train at Twelfth and Rockwell streets.

The victims were stockmen who were sleeping in the caboose of the stock train and members of the stock train crew. No persons on the passenger train were injured.

While the accident occurred a few minutes after midnight the stock train was so completely demolished and the victims so mutilated that six hours later only two had been identified. Four cars were telescoped and the wreckage set afire. Many of the injured were rescued from the burning wreckage.

The identified dead are:

H. POTTER, Dion Lake, N. D.

DON SCHLAMGER, Fayette, N. D.

The passenger train was bound for Cincinnati. It was moving rapidly and had just rounded a sharp curve when the engineer sighted the stock train only a few yards in front. After applying the emergency brakes the engineer and firemen leaped from the cab, escaping with no injury. No opportunity for escape was given the sleeping stockmen in the caboose as the sound of the warning whistle was drowned in the crash as the heavy locomotive ploughed through the caboose and three other cars.

Fire added to the terror of the wreck and greatly hampered the work of rescue.

TAFT AND DIAZ

Arrangements Complete for the Meeting of Two Presidents

EL PASO, Texas, Sept. 28.—The official program for the meeting of Presidents Taft and Diaz at El Paso and Juarez was made known yesterday by the war department in a communication to the local committees. Its tone shows the tendency of the two governments to make the affair strictly international and practically all the arrangements are in the hands of the secretary of war. The program consists of two visits by Mr. Taft to Mexico and one visit by Senor Diaz to the United States. No troops of either country will cross the boundary, nor will flags of either nation be carried across the line. In the morning President Diaz will cross the boundary where he will be received by the secretary of war and escorted to President Taft's carriage. The governor of Texas and his staff will accompany the secretary.

President Diaz will be in uniform and Mr. Taft in a dress suit. The party will be driven to the chamber of commerce in El Paso, where the two presidents will confer in privacy.

The Mexican president will then retire to his side of the river under American military escort.

At noon President Taft will cross the river and the program of the morning will be practically repeated. He then will retire to the American side under military escort. In the evening President Taft will go to Juarez, where he will be banqueted.

WATER BOARD

To Improve Water Service at General Hospital

There has been some complaint relative to the water service at the Lowell General hospital and last night the water board granted a hearing to the directors of that institution and it was agreed that something should be done at once to relieve the situation.

President Crowley and Supt. Thomas visited the Lowell General hospital a few days ago and made a personal investigation of the trouble there. It was stated that for the past few months the water was running dirty and rusty in the pipes.

President Crowley and Supt. Thomas found an iron pipe line in one section of the institution, which, it was thought, was to some extent responsible for the trouble and they allowed that if a tin-lined pipe was made to take the place of the other that an improvement would be noted.

President Crowley thought that part of the trouble might have resulted from the six-inch main in Varnum avenue, from which the hospital draws its supply and in an endeavor to remedy this the board offered to lay an eight-inch main in aurVum avenue.

It was stated that the fire service at the hospital was a bit inadequate at the present time and President Crowley allowed that the putting in of the eight-inch pipe would serve a double purpose. It would improve the water system in that locality and likewise the fire service at the hospital. The board agreed to lay the pipe and work will be begun at once in order that the job will be over with before the coming of the frost.

Other matters of a routine nature were considered by the board.

WIRE DOWN

HIGHLAND CARS WERE HELD UP THIS MORNING.

A trolley wire out of commission caused a delay in the Highland district cars service this forenoon though no damage was done.

LOT OF SECOND HAND FURNITURE for sale. 17 First street. Apply 6 and 7 p. m.

I WILL TAKE A CHILD over two, to board and give it best of care. Mrs. Williams, R. F. D. No. 4, Tyngsboro.

NEGRO ARRESTED

Charged With Murder of Osmond

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Joseph Webb, a negro, 40 years of age, of 117 Hill street, New Haven, Conn., was arrested today by central office detectives charged with the murder of John Osmond at Stonecrusher, Conn., on Jan. 4, 1909. Webb admitted his identity and said he was in the vicinity of the murder at the time it was committed but denied any part in it. The New Haven police were notified.

JURY IS CHOSEN

To Try the "Steel" Case

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—The jury which is to try the thirty-three individuals and firms in the steel agreement general conspiracy case in the superior criminal court was completed today. A second and special venire had to be drawn, the first lot of talesmen having been exhausted and a draft of likely jurymen from the streets having previously yielded but ten jurors. These were discharged yesterday and the present jury was selected yesterday and today. The indictments upon which the present case is being tried is based on the alleged general agreement between steel structural firms and agents to defraud the city of Boston. It is expected to consume at least three weeks.

PASTORAL LETTER

HAS BEEN ISSUED TO CATHOLIC PARISHES

PARIS, Sept. 28.—The French episcopate has issued a pastoral letter warning Catholic parents in France that the teaching in the public schools jeopardizes the faith of their children. The letter condemns especially coeducation saying that the "mixture of the sexes is contrary to morality and unworthy a civilized people." The letter forbids the use of a score of school textbooks, principally histories, and appeals to parents to unite in protecting the faith.

THE CITY COUNCIL

Took Action on Death of Ex-Mayor Palmer

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS CHOSEN

And Delegation Appointed to Attend the Funeral—Expressions of Sorrow at the Unexpected Death of Mr. Palmer

At a joint special meeting of the city council held last night for the purpose of taking action on the death of former Mayor Charles Dana Palmer the following were appointed a committee on resolutions: Aldermen Stevens and Dexter and Councilmen Spencer, Wilde and Tarrant.

It was voted to send the following delegation to represent the city government at the funeral: Mayor Brown, Aldermen Gray, Adams and Wainwright, and Councilmen Whittet, Butler, Howe and Mahoney.

Mayor Brown presided at the meeting and read an official announcement of the death of Mr. Palmer, eulogizing the deceased as a citizen and a public official.

Every member present at the meeting gave expression to his sorrow at the death of Mr. Palmer, a man who had been so widely esteemed by the citizens of Lowell.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Attendance for the First Two Weeks

The attendance at the public schools for the first two weeks of the school year show that the number of pupils attending this year is on a par with that of last.

The total attendance at the ten grammar schools was 4003 pupils, divided as follows: Butler, 658; Green, 445; Greenhalge, 300; Highland, 561; Abraham Lincoln, 448; Moody, 415; Riverside, 108; Training, 336; Varnum, 350; and Washington, 162.

The total attendance at the 35 primary schools was 8615, divided as follows: Agawam street, 99; Ames street, 161; Billings street, 146; Cabot street, 81; Carter street, 174; Charles street, 148; Central street, 144; Cheever street, 94; Cottage street 98; Cross street, 88; Dover street, 114; Eliot, 135; Franklin, 122; Greenhalge primary, 117; Howard street, 140; High street, 80; Lakeview avenue, 167; Lyon street, 179; Loudon street, 134; Lincoln primary, 86; Laura E. Lee school (Plain street), 199; Morrill, 71; Middlesex street, 89; New Moody, 212; Pine street, 96; Pond street, 93; Powell, 79; Sycamore street, 65; Riverside primary, 103; Training school, primary, 184; Tenth street, 183; West Sixth street, 140; Wood street, 112, and Worthen street, 135.

The total attendance at the kindergarten schools was 603, divided among the eleven schools as follows: Agawam street, 35; Charles street, 35; Chapel street, 39; Dover, 28; Franklin, 46; Abraham Lincoln, 51; Laura E. Lee (Plain street), 21; Moody, 26; Pawtucket, 37; Pine street, 31, and Varnum, 33.

The schools which did not report on Saturday were the Bartlett grammar and primary; Edson, Pawtucket grammar, and Kirk street primary. Their figures for membership at the close of the first week were: Bartlett grammar 407, and primary, 209; Edson, 409; Pawtucket grammar, 269; and Kirk St. primary, 64. These figures, with the attendance of 1158 at the high school on the 24th, make the total membership in the Lowell schools 11,211.

VILLAGES BURNED

Moorish Stronghold in Flames

MADRID, Sept. 28.—The capture of the towns of Nader and Zeluan by the Spanish forces in Morocco is being celebrated here as the virtual end of the war with the Riffs. Despatches received here from Melilla, Morocco, say that all of the villages in the foothills of Mount Gurugu, which has been the Moorish stronghold are in flames.

FALL OPENING

WINDOW DISPLAY AT MILEY-KELMAN'S STORE

The Miley-Kelman store at 214 Merrimack street has one of the most artistically arranged window displays in the city. Mr. Kelman is certainly an artist as a window trimmer as he conceived the idea of having a distinctly Scotch window display, and it is attracting great attention. The window is trimmed with red and white ribbons, representing a flag, while the shield portion is in blue and is decorated artistically with white bows representing stars. Old Glory is also suspended from the top of the window. The window pictures show up all the latest designs in Scotch plaids, neckties and ribbons in great profusion. In the rear of the window is a picture showing a bottle by the Scotch hussars and behind forth much favorable comment. There is also a motto inscribed "Hieds and Tarrus corns and no but plaids on the year." On this placard is an elegant drawing of a thistle on one side and a unicorn on the other. The sidewalls and window are trimmed with every kind of plaid ribbons and plaid articles that would appeal to the ladies. In the centre of the window is a bunch of thistles representing the favorite Scotch flower and a bunch of goldenrod, the American floral emblem. This window display is unique and beautiful and it is well worthy of inspection.

The Miley-Kelman store to the ladies is what a haberdasher's store is to the gentlemen, as everything in the ladies' furnishing goods line can be found there, such as gloves, hosiery, neckties, corsets, shirt waists and other articles too numerous to mention.

The Miley-Kelman store is one of the first to hold an opening and to show the public what it has in the latest fall and winter fashions. We have heard many compliments on the beautiful display.

IN POLICE COURT

Assault Case With Many Witnesses and an Interpreter

Occupied Court's Attention—The Railway Manslaughter Case Put Over — A Careless Father Charged With Neglecting His Child—Other Cases

The case of Joseph Koziel, John Ziola and Wladyslaw Zanofski, charged with assault and battery on Joseph Dynek last Sunday night at 42 Amory street, took up the major portion of this morning's session of the police court. The affair was long and drawn out inasmuch as there were many witnesses and the assistance of an interpreter was required in order to present the case.

Dynek testified that last Sunday night he called at 42 Amory street, where he used to board, for the purpose of seeing some friends. While there he met several acquaintances, including two women. He was sitting on a bench with one of the women when one of the defendants suggested that he go home. Witness allowed that he would stay there as long as he wished and his retort led to an argument which later resulted in the assault. Dynek claimed that the three defendants fell upon him and assaulted him.

The testimony of the defendants was a general denial and after the court had summed up the evidence in the case he found Ziola guilty and fined him the costs of court, $5. The other two defendants were discharged.

Alleged Larceny

Nettie M. Saunders, through her counsel, Daniel J. Donahue, entered a plea of not guilty to a complaint charging her with the larceny of a cape valued at $35 and a shawl valued at $45, the property of Elvira E. Gladwin. Mr. Donahue and John J. Harvey, the latter being counsel for the complainant, agreed that the case should go over till Saturday.

It is alleged that the articles mentioned in the warrant were left in a house which the defendant recently hired and is now occupying.

Manslaughter Case

John T'Anson and Thomas Higgins, motorman and conductor of the car of the Boston & Northern Street Railway company which ran into two children in Lakeview avenue several weeks ago and resulted in the death of one and serious injury of the other, were in court this morning for hearing on a charge of manslaughter. The case was called but was continued till October 8.

Case Continued

John Fedra pleaded not guilty to the larceny of a stove valued at $27, the property of Bornstein & Quinn. The case was continued till tomorrow morning.

Neglected His Child

Fred Gilbert was arraigned in court this morning on a complaint charging him with failing to provide for the support of his minor child, Marie Rose. Mrs. Gilbert said that for the past month or so her husband has been away from her and that he has neither contributed towards her support or the support of the child. Gilbert had no excuse to offer other than that he was sick. He failed to account, however, for his leaving his wife and child. He was found guilty and ordered to pay a fine of $20, the money to be paid to his wife.

Case Continued

George Parris, a former resident of this city, was arrested in Woburn yesterday on a warrant charging him with the larceny of a steam organ valued at $25 and a revolver worth $42, the property of John Kausattes. By agreement of counsel, J. Joseph Hennessy for the complainant and James E. O'Donnell for the defendant, the case was continued till Thursday morning.

Court Was Lenient

James J. Kennedy was charged with being drunk and it looked as though he would have to spend the winter at the jail or state farm but Lawyer W. W. Fox stated that the prisoner was a good workman and had worked for his father, and if the court would give the man another chance his father would give him work. Judge Hadley decided that it would be much better for Kennedy to be working than spending the time behind prison bars and gave him a suspended sentence of five months in jail and placed him in the care of the probation officer for one year.

Three Months in Jail

Mary J. Morris, charged with drunkenness, was sentenced to three months in jail. Katherine Cobb was sentenced to the state farm. Michael J. Burns was fined $8 and four first offenders were fined $2 each.

NEW FIRE HOUSE

The Centralville People Want It Opened at Once

No Need of Holding Off Till Election Time—Petition Presented to the Mayor Today

The purchasing agent's department and the department of lands and buildings looked like newly furnished lodging houses this forenoon. Beds were made and there was bed clothing on every side.

The commotion in these departments was decidedly out of the ordinary and the fuss was all due to the new fire house in West Centralville. Bids have been called for by the purchasing agent for beds and bedding, chairs, tables, range, etc., and a goodly number of those who have such things for sale were on the ground, ready to talk or to demonstrate.

It was an unfortunate day for the display of goods, however, and the bed clothing and mattresses were pretty well soaked before they reached the "show rooms."

Get a Move On

Ex-Alderman Beaulieu and ex-Councilman Gravel, secretary of the Cigarmakers' union, presented a petition to the mayor this morning asking that the apparatus for the West Centralville fire house be installed at once. The people in West Centralville are up in arms because of the delay and they want something to be done at once. Chief Dennehy says he is anxious to have it installed at once. The house is finished and it is not necessary to delay the opening until election time.

City Hall Closed

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Meetings Tonight

[illegible]

CHARGED WITH MURDER

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—When the case of Dr. Hallayne Clemmson, charged with the murder of his wife, was called today his attorney pleaded that the plans for the defense had not been completed. A continuance until October was allowed.

COMPANY C WON

Carried Off First Honors in Regimental Rifle Shoot

Company C of Lowell in a rattling finish, carried off first honors in the regimental rifle shoot of the 6th infantry at the range of the Bay State Military Rifle association at Wakefield, yesterday, having as close competitors A and K companies the latter the winner in the game of last year. The competition took place under ideal shooting conditions, there being but little wind and a steady light.

The teams of the regiment arrived on the range at an early hour and Col. Priest, executive officer, started the contest at the 200-yard distance. At the close of the distance H company of Stoneham had the leading score with the nearest teams well bunched. The 300-yard range brought out some good work and closed with the excellent score of 215 to the credit of the men from Lowell. The mid-range (500 yards) was begun under excellent conditions and in spite of a brief shower was shot off rapidly and closed with some fine totals, the aggregate of the three distances giving the state prize to C company, with A and K gathering in the two prizes given by the regiment.

Capt. John H. McMahon of Co. A, 6th infantry, of Wakefield, claims that the tricolor of the 6th regiment, which was awarded to Co. C of Lowell, should have been awarded to the the Wakefield company, as, he says, it defeated Co. C by three points.

Capt. McMahon claims that in the score of Lieut. J. E. Burns of Co. C an error was made. He says that Lieut. Burns was credited with a 4 and a 5 at the 500-yard range, whereas the scores should have been a 2 and a 3.

Capt. McMahon and Capt. S. W. Wise, with Sergt. J. H. Keough, visited the butts after the shoot and inspected the targets. At the A target, used by the Lowell company, there was one 2, two 3s, seven 4s and 20 5s, making a total of 136, from which the sighting shots must be deducted, leaving a total of 117.

At target B, also used by Co. C, there was one 2, four 3s, 12 4s, and 13 5s, making a total of 127, which with the sighting shots deducted leaves a total of 104. The total for both targets was 221, instead of 225, making the total score for Co. C 625 and for Co. A 639, which would give the tricolor to Co. A of Wakefield by four points.

Capt. McMahon and Capt. Wise have sent the target to Col. John Caswell, I. G. R. P., who will investigate the matter and give his decision as to who won the tricolor.

In the match Co. C was credited with a total of 642, which with the corrections, would bring it to 635. Co. C led Co. A by three points at the finish, so that Co. A expects to be awarded the tricolor by four points.

At the conclusion the winners were announced by the statistical officers, Lieut. F. M. Kendall and Sergt. Maj. John T. Burke, to be:

Team match, state prize to C company; regimental prizes to A and K respectively, in the order named.

Highest aggregate in the National Rifle association's medal to Sergt. Leary, C, score 70. Highest aggregate for officers to Lieut. Burns, C, score 69, and highest aggregate for enlisted men to Sergt. Leary, C, 70; Sergt. Rogers, A, 68; Q. M.-Sergt. Keough, A, 68; 1st Sergt. Hunt, A, 67; Sergt. McMaster, K, 67.

Pistol match for officers—Lieut. Faber, H. Q., 49. Capt. Wise H. Q. 49. Non-commissioned officers—Sergeant Chamberlain, I, 46; Sergt. Rogers, A, 45.

Consolation prizes—Sergt. Prescott, I, 68; Priv. Mansfield, H, 65.

Regimental 30—Sergt. Leary, C, 70; Lieut. Burns, C, 69; Lieut. Faber, H'd, 69; Capt. Wise, H'd, 68; Q. M.-Sergt. Keough, A, 68; Sergt. Rogers, A, 68; 1st Sergt. Hunt, A, 67; Sergt. McMaster, K, 67; Capt. Hunton, H'd, 66; Capt. Pearson, I, 66; Sergt. Patten, C, 66; Sergt. Prescott I, 66; Lieut.-Sergt. Connelly A, 66; Capt. Pearson, C, 65; Priv. Mansfield, H, 65; Priv. Reid, A, 65; Priv. Burns, C, 65; Priv. Donovan, H, 65; Corp. Hoyt, K, 65; Lieut. Doyle, G, 65; Capt. Gilson, B, 64; Corp. Godfrey, A, 64; Capt. McMahon, A, 64; Sergt. Nowlan, K, 64; Corp. Church, A, 64; Sergt. Perry, H, 64; Sergt. Cox, H'd, 64; Sergt. Payne, F, 64; Lieut. Hanaway, E, 64; Priv. Blake, 63.

Team scores:

Company C, Lowell

Lieut. Burns—
200 yards .....3 4 4 5 4—21
300 yards .....4 5 5 5 4—23
500 yards .....5 5 5 5 5—25—69
Priv. E. I. Burns—
200 yards .....4 4 3 4 4—19
300 yards .....4 4 4 4 5—21
500 yards .....4 4 5 4 4—21—61
Priv. Myrick—
200 yards .....3 4 4 5 4—20
300 yards .....5 4 4 4 4—21
500 yards .....5 4 5 4 3—21—62
Priv. F. Burns—
200 yards .....4 4 3 4 5—20
300 yards .....4 4 5 5 4—22
500 yards .....5 5 5 3 5—23—65
Capt. Pearson—
200 yards .....2 5 4 4 4—19
300 yards .....4 4 5 5 4—22
500 yards .....4 5 5 5 5—24—65
Sergt. Patten—
200 yards .....4 4 5 5 4—22
300 yards .....4 4 4 5 4—21
500 yards .....4 5 5 4 5—23—67
Priv. Blake—
200 yards .....5 4 3 4 3—19
300 yards .....4 4 4 3 4—19
500 yards .....5 5 5 5 5—25—63
Sergt. Linscott—
200 yards .....4 4 4 4 4—20
300 yards .....5 4 4 4 4—21
500 yards .....5 5 4 4 3—21—62
Sergt. Leary—
200 yards .....5 4 4 4 5—22
300 yards .....5 5 4 4 5—23
500 yards .....5 5 5 5 5—25—70
Sergt. Berry—
200 yards .....4 2 4 3 4—17
300 yards .....5 4 4 4 5—22
500 yards .....3 4 5 4 4—20—59

Total 223
Total at 200 yards 193
Total at 300 yards 215

Total 642

COMPANY K, LOWELL (Second)

	Yards			
	200	300	500	T'tl
Lieut. McMaster	22	23	23	68
Sergt. Colly	20	18	24	62
Capt. Greig	18	22	23	63
Corp. Hoyt	21	21	23	65
Priv. Dana	17	20	23	60
Priv. Mountain	19	19	22	60
Sergt. Kuschaine	17	20	23	60
Cook Houston	20	21	22	63
Sergt. Nowlan	20	21	23	64
Sergt. McMaster	22	21	24	67
Totals	196	206	230	632

COMPANY G, Lowell (Eighth)

Corp. Church	19	23	22	64
Priv. Cotterall	15	17	21	53
Sergt. Barnes	18	15	23	56
Priv. McGookin	18	18	16	52
Priv. Barnes	15	16	18	49
Lieut. Doyle	20	23	22	65
Priv. Baker	17	17	20	54
Priv. Crowell	18	18	20	56
Sergt. Carlson	16	20	23	59
Sergt Roberts	12	20	18	50
Totals	168	187	203	558

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PRESCOTT STREET

IN DEPLORABLE CONDITION AFTER THE RAIN.

Prescott street was a puddle this morning as the result of the continued rains, and all who had business on the street were kept busy dodging the mud and dirty water thrown about by the horses' hoofs. But Prescott street is taking on a great boom. Notice the new glass fronts.

200 DELEGATES

At Convention of W. C. T. U. in Manchester

MANCHESTER, Sept. 28.—Two hundred delegates representing branches of the Women's Christian Temperance union in New Hampshire were present when the state convention was opened in this city today. The convention will be in session three days and will be addressed by many prominent temperance advocates. The interest of the delegates was centered today upon the movement to have the union give its unanimous endorsement to a resolution in favor of the prohibitory law in New Hampshire.

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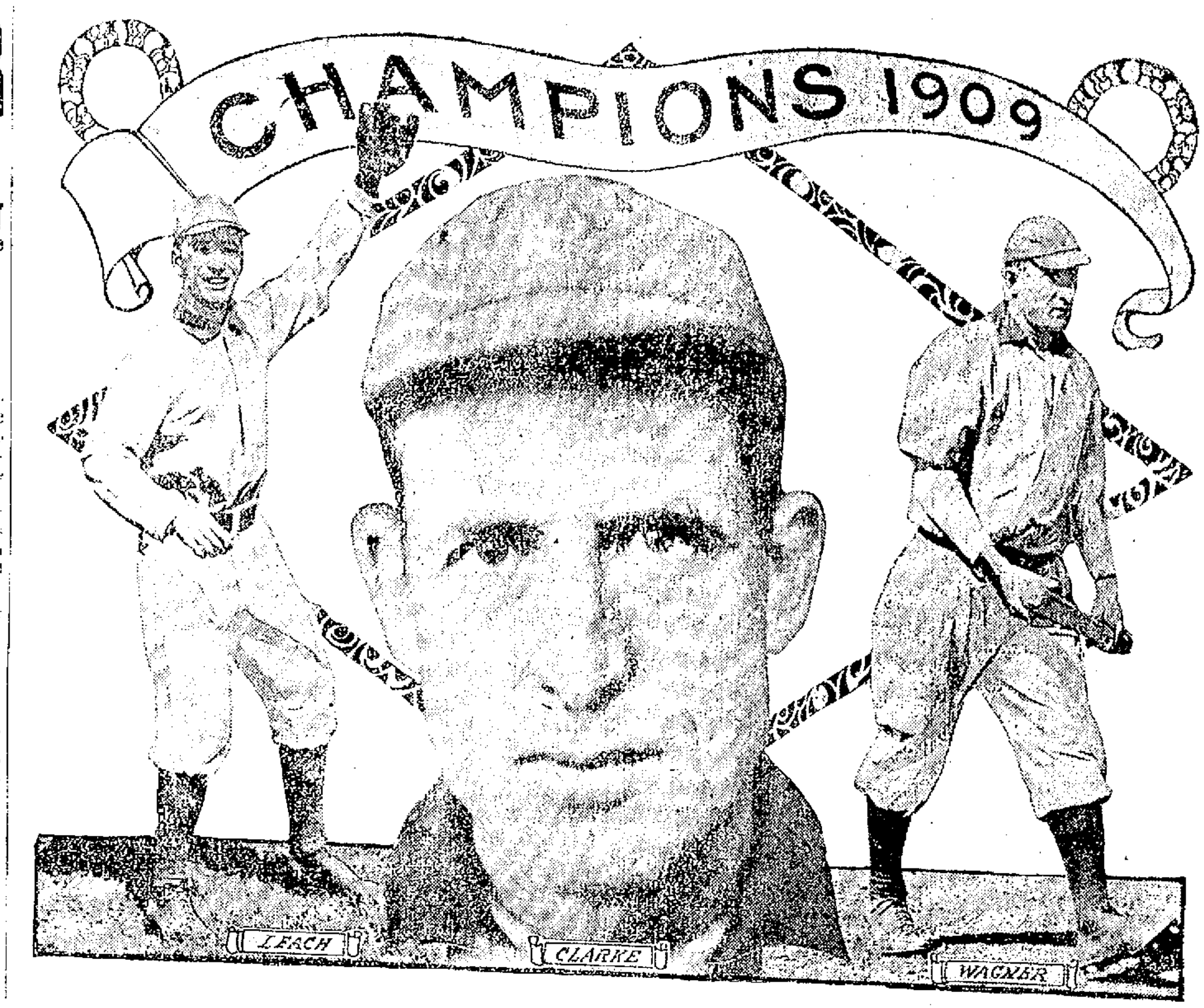

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—One need not necessarily consider baseball statistics to figure out why the Pittsburg club leads the National league and practically has the pennant won. The best examples of inside baseball seen this season have been put up by the Pirates. Manager Fred Clarke, a past master of this most essential quality in baseball, has proved himself one of the greatest leaders in the history of the game. Clarke developed and made championship timber of several players who looked at the beginning of the season no better than third raters. He is a fighter, headier probably than nearly any other manager today, and as a guesser he has displayed the rarest skill in hair raising contests with the Cubs and Giants. Clarke has been manager of the Pittsburg club for ten years. In that time the club has never finished out of the first division, winning three consecutive pennants, finishing second three times, third once, fourth once and being tied with New York for second place last season. The pennant of 1909 on top of such a record as that places Clarke in a position alone as a baseball leader. The Pirates lead in club batting, are supreme in fielding and are far in the lead in the matter of long hits. Mighty Hans Wagner, though closely pressed by Seymour of New York, leads the batters of the league, as usual. Clarke and Leach are among the ten best sluggers. In the pitching department the Pittsburgs also excel. Camnitz, Frock, Willis, Leever, Phillippi, Liefield and Maddox are among the leading 15 twirlers in the National league.

FOUND IN A CAR

Two Men in Court for Breaking and Entering

Fred Rosseau and Henry Richard were arraigned in police court this morning on complaints charging them with breaking and entering a car of the Boston & Maine railroad with intent to commit larceny from the same. They entered pleas of not guilty and the cases were continued until tomorrow morning.

The two men were found in a freight car in the south yard near the Bleachery station this morning. The car contained furniture which had been shipped from Manchester and while none of the contents was removed or disturbed the seal on the door of the car was broken.

The prisoners claimed that they found the door of the car open and as the rain was heavy they decided to get into the car to keep dry and have a sleep.

ACCUSED OF MURDER

WARRENTON, Va., Sept. 28.—In the Fauquier county court before Judge Edward S. Turner this morning began the trial of Prof. J. D. Harris, former principal of the Warrenton high school, charged with the murder of William A. Thompson, associate editor of the Warrenton Virginian, on April 24th last. When the court opened the room quickly filled with spectators and the work of selecting a jury to decide upon the guilt or innocence of Prof. Harris was watched with interest by the large crowd. Most of the day it was expected would be occupied in the selection of the jurors. The killing took place in the streets of Warrenton and was the result of a series of difficulties between the two men.

THREE NEW MILLS

To be Built by Bigelow Manufacturing Company

The Bigelow Carpet company will increase its plant in this city to the extent of three new mills that will be built along the Pawtucket canal. The three new mills will cost more than $300,000, and taken together with the big store house for which the foundation has already been laid, the Bigelow Carpet company has a big spell of building on its hands, and it speaks well for the company's prosperity.

All of the company's mills are numbered and the three new mills will be numbered 17, 18 and 19. Only the foundation for mill number 17 will be laid at the present time. This building will be two stories high, 277 by 46 feet. It will be of concrete construction, brick walls and fire proof. It will be used as a dye house.

Mill number 18 will be five stories, 125 by 46. It will be of brick, mill construction and will be used for a laboratory, dye room, paint, belt shops and storage. This building will be equipped with a tower with stairways and elevators.

Mill number 19 will be a three story building, 285 by 46 and will be used for a dye house. It will have brick walls, concrete floors and will be of fire-proof construction.

The contractors are W. N. Pike & Sons of Lawrence and Charles T. Main of Boston is the engineer.

STOCK MARKET

Today's Quotations on Active Stocks

The following are the closing quotations of today's stock market for active stocks:

Furnished by J. R. Williston & Co., Associate Building.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Atchison	125¾
Am Car Foundry	70
*Amalgamated	83½
*Am Sugar	134½
Am Smelt and Ref Co.	99½
Anaconda	49¾
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	80
Can Pac	185
Distillers Sec	37½
Erie Com	33¼
Erie pfd	49½
Great Northern	154
Illinois	151¾
Interboro Railway pfd	48⅝
Int Steam Pump	47⅞
Missouri	70¼
National Lead	90⅝
*No. Pac	150½
New York Central	137½
Penn.	149⅝
Pressed Steel Car	51
People's Gas	116
Pa. Mail	35
Rock Island	39½
Rock Island pfd	77¼
*Reading	168⅝
Southern Pac.	132¼
South Railway	31⅞
U. S. Steel	89⅞
U. S. Steel pfd	129½
U. S. Rubber	54¼
*United Pac.	206⅞
Wabash	19¾
Wabash pfd	51½

BOSTON STOCKS.

Allouez	58½
Nev. Con.	24¼
Shoe Machinery	66½
Centennial	41
Franklin	17¾
Greene, Con.	9½
La Salle	17¼
Isle Royale	25¾
Mass. Electric	16½
Mass. Electric pfd	79
Mass. Gas	67
Mass Gas pfd	92
North Butte	61⅝
Osceola	150
Old Dominion	54
Parrott	31½
Quincy	94
Shannon	16⅞
Trinity	13½
U. S. Smelter	57¾
Utah Con.	44¾
Zinc	62½

*Ex-Dividend

BODY OF A CHILD

Found Floating in Merrimack River

A small wooden box containing the body of a male child, prematurely born, was found floating in the Merrimack river near Elsmere Station No. 2, on the Lawrence road, about 8.30 o'clock this morning by some school children and was later brought to this city by Constable William E. Newton of the Dracut police and turned over to Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons. Constable Newton afterwards notified the police of his find.

Two school children, Hayward by name, who live in Kenwood, were on their way to school when they noticed the box floating in the river and pulling it ashore opened it and after seeing the contents went to school and notified the teacher and the latter in turn notified Constable Newton.

Mr. Newton went to the place where the box had been left by the children and took it to the undertaking parlors of Undertakers O'Donnell and then reported the matter at the police station.

BARGE FOUNDERED

BALTIMORE, Sept. 28.—The barge W. B. Barker of Philadelphia, one of a string of three barges all laden with cinders, in tow of the tug Dixie bound to Norfolk from Baltimore foundered last Sunday morning off Sharp island, Chesapeake bay, during a heavy storm. The Barker's crew of two men were rescued after heroic work by the crew of the tug. The other barges were cut adrift but were later picked up in safety by the Dixie.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

EXCITING GAMES

Detroit and Philadelphia Were Both Defeated

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—New York and Detroit were to have faced each other in two engagements yesterday afternoon, but on account of a slight rain fall only one game was played.

This the locals won 4 to 1, although Willet allowed them only three singles, all of which were scratches. These three safeties, however, were grouped with two steals, a hit batsman, a wild pitch and an error. Detroit made five singles off Warhop, who was invincible at critical times.

The score:

New York ...... 0 2 2 0 0 0 0 0 *—4
Detroit .... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Batteries: Bair and Warhop; Schmidt and Willet.

CLEVELAND WON

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.—Cleveland defeated Philadelphia yesterday by 5 to 4. The last six innings were played in a drizzling rain which made the ball hard to control.

The score:

Cleveland .... 0 1 0 2 0 1 1 0 0—5
Philadelphia .... 2 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—4

Batteries: Upp, Otis, Winchell and Easterly; Coombs, Krause and Lapp.

In the other games Chicago defeated Washington by a score of 8 to 1 while the Boston St. Louis game was postponed owing to the unfavorable weather. A double header is scheduled for today.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Detroit	94	52	64.4
Philadelphia	91	54	62.8
Boston	85	60	58.6
Chicago	73	72	50.3
New York	69	75	47.9
Cleveland	70	77	47.6
St. Louis	60	84	41.7
Washington	39	107	26.7

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS

At Boston—Boston-St. Louis game, postponed—rain.

At New York—New York 4, Detroit 1. (Other game postponed—rain.)

At Philadelphia—Cleveland 5, Philadelphia 4.

At Washington—Chicago 8, Washington 1.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Pittsburg	106	37	74.1
Chicago	97	46	67.8
New York	88	56	60.6
Cincinnati	73	71	50.7
Philadelphia	69	74	48.3
St. Louis	49	91	35.0
Brooklyn	50	93	35.0
Boston	39	102	27.7

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS

At Pittsburg—(First game) Pittsburg 6, New York 1. (Second game) New York 8, Pittsburg 7.

At Cincinnati—(First game) Cincinnati 4, Brooklyn 3. (Second game) Cincinnati 3, Brooklyn 1, (called end of 8th—darkness.)

At Chicago—Chicago 4, Philadelphia 1.

GAMES TODAY

American League

St. Louis at Boston.
Detroit at New York.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Washington.

National League

Boston at St. Louis.
New York at Pittsburg.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.

AMATEUR BASEBALL.

The Dixwells defeated the Dragons in a very exciting game by the score of 8 to 4. This was the second straight game in a series of three games.

The Dixwells batted hard all through the game, getting two home runs and three triples. The work of Wheeler was too much for the Dragons' batters.

A meeting of the City league is asked for Wednesday evening at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. on Hurd street. Every captain and manager is asked to be present. Over 180 boys are entitled to the baseball banquet which is to be served to every registered player in the league, the date of which is to be settled at this meeting.

A RECORD RUN

Was Made to Get a Surgeon

HARRISON, Sept. 28.—George B. Morrill of the firm of Burnham & Morrill made a record run in his automobile from Harrison to Bridgton yesterday to get a surgeon for Erastus Caswell, who had been injured in the Burnham & Morrill packing house. The man's right arm was caught in the machinery and so badly torn that the injuries were expected to result in his death.

Mr. Morrill ran his automobile to Bridgton, six miles away, and returned with a surgeon in less than 20 minutes.

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GRAND CIRCUIT

T. W. Murphy Lands Two More Winners

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Sept. 28.—T. W. Murphy added two to his list of grand circuit victories yesterday, when, with weather conditions unfit for fast time, he won trots with Inner Guard and Alice Roosevelt.

Inner Guard's victory was an easy one, although Marie N. got the final heat in new record time for her. The finish was close between Geer's mare and Inner Guard. The judges set Inner Guard back to last position as a penalty for changing from the pole to middle track in the stretch.

Alice Roosevelt, like Inner Guard, was favorite for the 2.13 trot. Dulce Jay beat them all in the first two heats, and was thought to have the race won. In the third heat while scoring, he was erratic and broke just after the start. He had to hurry to escape being distanced, and did not go well in either the fourth or the fifth heats.

Iris, driven by Walter Cox, was not bothered in making the 2.18 pace a straight heat affair. Evelyn Patchen, winner of second money, unseated Driver Dick Wilson and ran away for a quarter of a mile. After being caught, she was brought back and was really the only contender Iris had. The summaries:

2.05 class trotting, 3 heats, purse $1200.

Inner Guard, b g, by Guardsman, Murphy 1 1 9
Marie N., b m, by Marlengo-King, Geers 7 5 1
Kenyon W., blk s, Kenyon 2 2 6
Nancy Royce, blk m, McCarthy 4 6 2
Beatrice Bellini, blk m, Dickerson 5 3 4
Genteel H., br s, Snow 3 4 5
Brace Girdle, b m, McMahon 9 7 3
Ruby Clay, b m, Hogan 6 8 7
Harry Banning, b g, Burns 8 9 8
Judge Lee, g h, Lassell .... dis.

Time—2.10; 2.11¼; 2.08¼.

2.13 class trotting, 3 in 5, purse $1200.

Alice Roosevelt, ch m, by The Searcher, Murphy 3 2 1 1 2
Dulce Jay, ro h, by Jay Bird, Dean 1 1 10 4 4
Martha Dillon, b m, by Sidney Dillon, Sanders 4 3 4 2 1
Jeanie Constantine, b m, Grady 2 10 2 3 3
Montell, b h, McMahon .... 10 4 3 ro
Beauty Wright, b m, Chandler .... 5 7 6 ro
Borealis, br m, Turner .... 8 9 5 ro
Lawretta, b m, Crist .... 9 5 9 ro
Robert L. Jr., b g, Stelle .... 6 6 7 ro
Royal Penn, b h, Ludwig .... 7 8 8 ro
Ann Direct, blk m, Curtis .... dis.

Time—2.12¾; 2.10½; 2.12½; 2.12½; 2.13.

2.18 class pacing, 3 in 5, purse $1200.

Iris, b m, by Island Wilkes, Cox 1 1 1
Evelyn Patchen, b m, Wilson 11 2 3
Mary Dillon, b m, Sanders 2 10 5
Gus B., b g, Patterson 7 9 2
Morval, Jr., b s, B. Stokes 3 3 8
Hazel B., s m, Benadum 10 4 4
Pat Haynes, br g, Sweeney 4 7 9
Margaret Frey, b m, Niles 5 8 6
Anda H., blk h, Hill 9 5 7
Brother Direct, b h, Nuchols .... 6 6 dr
Barney O'Conner, b g, Major .... 8 11 dr
Chaplain Root, b g, McCarthy .... dis.

Time—2.07¾; 2.09½; 2.09.

JURY DECIDES

Woman Was Not of Sound Mind

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—A supreme court jury before Judge Braley yesterday decided that Anna L. Shaw, a maiden lady who lived at 30 Mellen street, Dorchester, and who died, aged 85, in April last, was not of sound mind at the time of the execution of her will, and that the instrument was procured through undue influence. This verdict, if it stands, breaks the will. The case was that of Isaac Riley et als., executors against Maria S. Eayrs, a sister of the testatrix, who is also of advanced age.

Anna L. Shaw left an estate valued at from $15,000 to $17,000. In her will she provided for the payment of $6000, approximately, to her relatives, and left the balance to Mrs. Lillian M. Nelson, who had been her friend for many years and had entered into an agreement to provide and care for the testatrix and her invalid sister, Sarah E. Shaw, for life.

After a hearing in the probate court Judge George allowed the will. Objections were made there to the allowance of the instrument on the ground of incompetency and undue influence. The case then went to the supreme court on the appeal of Mrs. Eayrs.

The issues presented to the jury were:

"Was Anna L. Shaw, deceased, of sound mind at the time of the execution of the instrument offered for probate as her last will and testament?"

"Was the execution of said instrument procured through the undue influence of Lillian M. Nelson and Rizpah L. Learned, or either of them?"

To the first question the jury answered "No," and to the second question the answer was "Yes."

LOSS IS $20,000

Moulton Mill Destroyed by Fire

GARDINER, Me., Sept. 28.—By the destruction of the Moulton lumber mill yesterday the town of Randolph loses its only industry owned by home capital. The mill, with 50,000 feet of lumber, 75,000 shingles and valuable machinery was destroyed. The loss is estimated at $20,000, only about $2000 of which is covered by insurance.

The fire is thought to have originated from a hot box. The burning of the mill will throw 20 men out of employment. The owners of the mill are Joseph and Warren S. Moulton and heirs of the Oliver Moulton estate.

CHELMSFORD.

Amos F. Adams, donor of the Adams library, has presented the library a portrait of himself which the trustees formally accepted at a meeting held yesterday. The picture will be hung in the trustees' room. The secretary was instructed to forward the thanks of the trustees to the donor of the gift.

WARDWELL LOST

Republican Leader Defeated by Nason

PEABODY, Sept. 28.—Representative Arthur L. Nason of Haverhill, who won a majority of the delegates to the 4th Essex republican senatorial convention at last Tuesday's caucuses, came here yesterday at the head of his 27 delegates, personally saw to it that there was no slip-up in the program to nominate him for the senate, and then quietly superintended the political interment of J. Otis Wardwell as a candidate for state committeeman, naming J. Franklin Batchelder as Wardwell's successor on the state committee. Batchelder got 27 and Wardwell 17 votes for state committeeman.

The entire job took just an hour, and it was done with an alacrity and dispatch that almost took away the breath of the old-timers in the convention and the corridors of the town hall, where the convention was held.

Wardwell, accompanied by Postmaster Hoyt of Haverhill and W. W. Lufkin, Congressman Gardner's secretary, was on hand, as he said with a childish curiosity, to see the shingle with which he was to receive his spanking.

Nason and his folowers insisted that it was Wardwell's funeral. "Well," said the latter, "if it is, I just want to show Essex county people what a smiling, goodnatured corpse they are burying," and he entered his automobile to return home, after hearing of his defeat for the state committee by Batchelder.

Two of Nason's Haverhill delegates, Ex-Postmaster Pinkham and J. W. Burnham, voted for Wardwell. His other votes came from the friends of Samuel L. Porter of Amesbury and C. H. Goulding of this town, both of whom were candidates for the senatorial nomination in the caucuses.

Wardwell has been a member of the republican state committee for 25 years and was for many years on the executive committee.

NO GRADUATIONS

Somerville School Board Would Abolish Them

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—The recommendation that graduation exercises for the grammar schools of Somerville be abandoned and that all extravagance in dress or unnecessary expenditure by pupils on the occasion of graduation exercises of the high schools be frowned upon, was the report of a special committee made at last evening's meeting of the Somerville school board.

The special committee was appointed last May to consider the matter. At that time and before the appointment of the committee a majority of the members of the board expressed their views, each one taking a stand in opposition to graduation exercises for the grammar schools. Members of the board felt that there were many parents who could ill afford to satisfy the demands of girl graduates, and yet they felt compelled to make the sacrifice for dress, carriage, gloves and flowers in order that their children should suffer no humiliation.

On motion of Dr. Curtis, chairman of the committee, the report was laid on the table for a month in order to give parents an opportunity to express their views on the proposed changes.

U. S. BUNTING CLUB BANQUET

The annual banquet of the U. S. Bunting Cricket and Athletic club will be held at the club house on October 16, and is expected to eclipse anything of the kind in the history of the club.

ECZEMA DEFIED SIX HOSPITALS

Doctors of Two Continents Could Make No Impression on Torturing Skin Disease—All Treatments Failed for Nineteen Years.

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"I contracted my disease at school in London, England, when I was fourteen years old—I am now thirty-three. My father put me under the care of our family physician who diagnosed my disease as itch. But after several months' treatment without receiving any benefit, I was advised to go to a hospital. I attended the —— Hospital, London. Then and on two other occasions, without my getting any benefit, they treated me for eczema. My next attempt was trying different ointments from doctors and druggists. Then I tried patent medicines, including ——, —— and ——.

"I passed examinations for government situations but was finally rejected at the medical examinations. After three attempts to enlist in the British army I succeeded at last but was discharged on account of my eczema. The disease was confined to face, arms and legs, my face being actually raw at times. I came to America thirteen years ago, but my face became worse, if possible. When in New York City I was advised to go to —— Hospital, whence I was sent to the —— Hospital in Brooklyn. I was put under the care of Professor —— but this also added to the number of unsuccessful attempts. I returned home to England and tried the —— Hospital, Liverpool, the —— Hospital, London, also the world-famed London —— Hospital, but without getting cured. I came back to America five years ago. I had overlooked the Cuticura Remedies dozens of times, but three months ago I decided to give Cuticura a trial and I can safely say I am cured of one of the most torturing skin diseases a man ever had. Richard Curley, New Canaan, Conn., Jan. 10, '09."

"I am familiar with Mr. Curley's case and his cure and believe his statement to be true. John F. Burke, New Canaan, Conn."

NOTE.—All the names left blank are given in full in Mr. Curley's letter.

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Young Baseball Players In the Limelight This Season

By TOMMY CLARK.

THE day of the young baseball player has arrived. No longer is it necessary for him to sit on a bench for a few months or a whole season soaking up big league knowledge before being allowed to become a regular. No longer need the recruit kotow to the veteran and feel grateful if the star of ten years condescends to speak well of his work. The youngster is here to stay now, and the old timer, the tried and not found wanting veteran, has to hustle to keep his job nowadays.

The young ball player of today seems to know more about the game than the minor league recruit of a few years ago. The youngsters are brainier players than the newcomers of a few years back. This was proved during the present season. In the American league winter dope Washington looked stronger than Philadelphia, New York and Boston for the reason that Cantillon had a team composed of experienced players, while the other three clubs seemed too largely experimental. The youngsters who appear in the Boston, Philadelphia and New York uniforms have weathered the season strong. A few of them have found the pace too strenuous, but the majority are in fast company to stay.

The Pittsburgs owe much of their success this season to youngsters who were picked up last winter and who are now playing their first engagement under the Pirate banner. The success of the team is a tribute to the newcomers with whom Manager Clarke was forced to experiment in the spring.

When the teams lined up for the fight last April the general opinion was that the Pirates would not stand the pace because of the experiments. It was pointed out by many critics that a team with a new first, second and third baseman, besides a changed outfield, could scarcely expect to cope with an aggregation of tried and true veterans, the Chicago Cubs. But the Pittsburg team has stood the gaff. The youngsters proved that they are of the right material.

This has been especially evident in the games against the Cubs and Giants, of which the Pirates have won the big majority.

Bill Abstein had never played a major league game until this season. He was with the Pirates several years ago, but he was turned over to Providence without a trial, Manager Clarke sizing him up as a comer who needed more experience before he would be ripe for big league plucking.

Jack Miller, the second sacker, is a mere boy in years. He has had only a couple of years' experience in any kind of league and never had a trial in fast company until he joined the Pirates last spring. He is one of the marvels of the age.

Chief Wilson is another youngster who has made good for Clarke. Of course he was on the team last year, but early in the season he was not considered good enough for a regular berth. He improved right along, however, and today there is no better outfielder in the business than the husky Texan.

Much of Detroit's showing has been due to the clever work of Bush and Stanage. The Tigers got the latter to help out Schmidt, and he has helped himself to Schmidt's job as first catcher of the league champions. He is surely one of the real finds of the season. Bush has played a sensational game at short since his debut into fast company. Manager Jennings says that in another year he will be the leading short fielder of the league.

Brooklyn has one of the real finds of the season in Third Baseman Eddie Lennox. The latter made good at the start. Besides playing a gilt edged fielding game he has swatted the ball like a Wagner. The club also seems to have another find in George Hunter, a rattling good left handed pitcher, a good hitter, fast base runner and clever fielder—a good all around youngster.

Austin and Demmitt are probably sure of jobs with the New York Americans for some time. Demmitt is a hard and Austin a tricky hitter. The former is a fast outfielder with a great whip, and Austin is a brilliant infielder.

The Boston Americans have quite a number of good young ball tossers—namely, Speaker, Carrigan, Woods, Hooper and Arellanes. Of the five Speaker is the best. He comes near being another Ty Cobb. He is a wonderful fielder, a skilled and daring base runner and a dangerous hitter. Like Cobb, he bats left handed, and he is as much of a kid as Cobb was when he broke in.

In Collins and Krause Philadelphia has two players who have helped make baseball history this year. The former led the American league in batting for a time this season. He is a speedy base runner and a capable third sacker. Krause is the one young pitcher who has attracted the attention of the big leagues this year. He became a big leaguer the moment he put on a uniform. He has had one fluky defeat in twelve games.

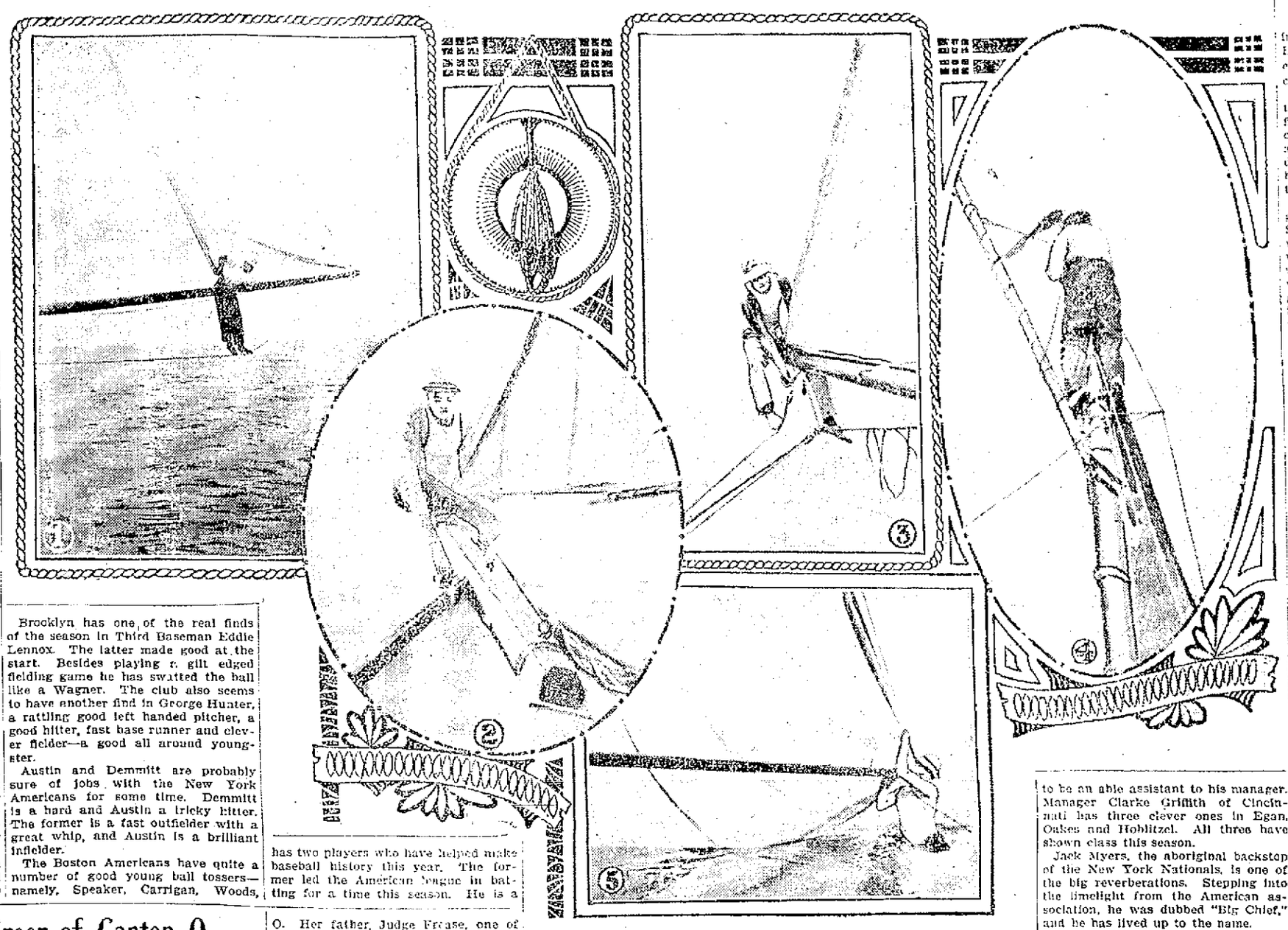
The Chicago Nationals obtained a star in Catcher Archer. He was knocked about the big leagues like a rag doll until the time came when the Cubs had to have a catcher. Kling had joined the "holdouts," and Moran could not do all of it. Detroit and one or two other major league clubs had had Archer, given him only a half try out, because they had good catchers, and turned him back. Chance dropped off the train in Buffalo one day, saw him work and got him.

The Cubs used him regularly because they had to, and he is now rated as one of the best catchers in the league. When Billy Sullivan was made manager of the Chicago Americans he had to get another backstop. And he got Owens. The young catcher has proved to be an able assistant to his manager. Manager Clarke Griffith of Cincinnati has three clever ones in Egan, Oakes and Hoblitzel. All three have shown class this season.

Jack Myers, the aboriginal backstop of the New York Nationals, is one of the big reverberations. Stepping into the limelight from the American association, he was dubbed "Big Chief," and he has lived up to the name.

Snapshots Showing Some of the Dangers of Yacht Racing

In photo No. 1 is shown a yachtsman in a dangerous position out on the spinnaker boom while underway. The temporary nature of the spinnaker boom renders it necessarily unsteady, and a man is likely to be thrown off into the water. No. 2 shows a seaman out on the bowsprit adjusting the jib down haul while the yacht is lunging into a heavy, rushing sea. No. 3 reveals the yachtsman out on the end of the boom, stretching the mainsail out while under way. The swinging of the big spar is a constant menace. No. 4 illustrates the safe mode of standing while aloft to make repairs. No. 5 shows the highly dangerous task of effecting the proper adjustment of a huge, bellying spinnaker while under way. The daring yachtsman, who is L. DeB. Handley, the famous swimmer of the New York Athletic club, has been thrown into the water from the end of the swaying spinnaker boom of the swift racing sloop Crescent, with which he has won many races.



Mrs. Rachel Frease-Green of Canton, O., Who Has Scored In Grand Opera Abroad

The operatic tide has turned. Coal is being carried to Newcastle. American singers are singing in Europe. In Berlin, Vienna, Dresden, Munich, Paris and London opera houses resound with music from American throats.

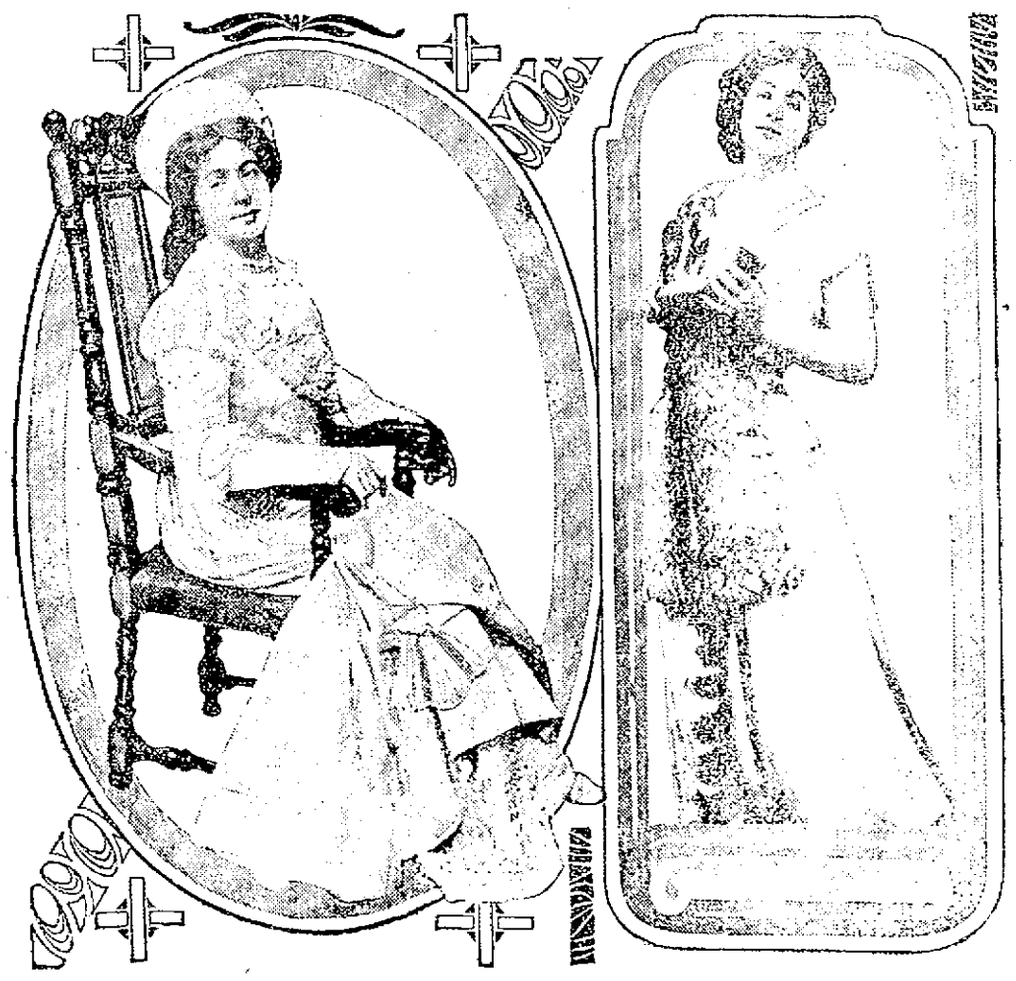
One of the most notable successes achieved by operatic aspirants in recent years is that of a young American singer, Rachel Frease-Green, who has been engaged to appear in Berlin during the coming season in the roles of Elvira in "Ernani," Martha in "Martha," Endora in "La Juive," the queen in "Zauberflote," Rosinae in "Barbiere de Seviglia," Elvira in "Don Giovanni," Violetta in "Traviata," Gilda in "Rigoletto," the queen in "Les Huguenots" and Mathilde in "William Tell."

Mrs. Frease-Green made her debut at Covent Garden, London, last winter as Sieglinde in "The Valkyrie" and as Eva in "The Meistersinger." The London critics looked with doubt on the advisability of intrusting such important roles to a "beginner," but were roused to a unanimous and unwonted enthusiasm by Mrs. Frease-Green's performances, characterizing them as the most auspicious and promising debut ever made at Covent Garden and heartily confirming the good judgment and discernment of the operatic management and of the conductor, Dr. Hans Richter.

Although Mrs. Frease-Green's pronounced success at Covent Garden was made in Wagnerian roles, critics say that her voice has even greater possibilities in coloratura roles, and it is in the latter that she will sing in Berlin.

Mrs. Frease-Green is from Canton, O. Her father, Judge Frease, one of the pioneers of the Ohio bar when he went on the bench, was succeeded by William McKinley, then a struggling young lawyer, as law partner of Judge George W. Belden, Mrs. Green's maternal grandfather. Mrs. Green was one of the young folks by whom the president and his wife liked to be surrounded, and in the informal little gatherings which made up much of the social life of the president and his wife she was frequently called upon by them to sing and encouraged to give free rein to her singing ambitions. The last occasion was just a few days before the Buffalo tragedy, when President McKinley prophesied flatteringly for the young singer's future and earnestly advised for her a musical career. Two weeks later she sang at his funeral service and six years afterward at the funeral of Mrs. McKinley.

For several years Mrs. Frease-Green was church and concert soloist in New York, Pittsburg and Cleveland. She has studied chiefly with Jean De Reszke in Paris, who had her sing for Adelina Patti and with Marchesi.



Hawkshaw, the Detective, Invades the Stage In New Clothes and Settings.

[From Our New York Dramatic Correspondent.]

THE stage sleuth has come into new prominence on the American stage. The latter day prototypes of the famous Hawkshaw, the detective, and of Sherlock Holmes and all the various "mysterious misters" are in some particulars equally fascinating and illuminative.

Hattie Williams began the new stage detective era by appearing at the Garrick theater in "Detective Sparkes," an original comedy by Michael Morton. Then followed "Arsene Lupin" at the Lyceum theater, a dramatization of the French detective story of the same title, by Francis de Croissett and Maurice Le Blanc, which ran more than a year in Paris.

The scheme of "Detective Sparkes" opens with a scandal in London society. The newspapers of England are filled with an extraordinary balloon mystery. A lady and gentleman, suspected to be members of England's best set, have been wrecked while ballooning. The owner of the balloon is known to be Jack Lawton, but whether he occupied the balloon when it was wrecked and the identity of the female occupant are unknown. The disappearance of the passengers of the wrecked balloon has the kingdom in a hubbub. Newspapers offer a reward for the identity and location of the occupants, and reporters, Scotland Yard men and sleuths, amateur and professional, scour the country for a clew to the mystery, but the nearest any one can come to solving the difficulty is the finding of a brooch in the basket of the balloon.

The brooch is of a unique design, such as no jeweler in London can match, and the location of its owner is sure to disclose the identity of the woman who occupied the balloon.

Mysterious Detective Sparkes.

Coincident with the finding of the brooch Lord Axminster, an old fashioned member of the nobility who has wed an American girl, receives word that an attempt will be made to rob the Towers, his ancestral place, of his wonderfully rare collection of miniatures. Word is sent to him apparently by the chief of the county police, Colonel Morley, that the colonel must perforce take a trip to the continent, and meanwhile he has put the Towers under the protection of Detective Sparkes, a mysterious catcher of thieves, whose abilities are recommended as nothing short of marvelous. Lord Axminster gathers a company of friends at the Towers, and all await the arrival of the skillful Sparkes. The latter not putting in an appearance his lordship and friends retire for the night, putting two of his lordship's huskiest men servants on guard, armed.

The household is soon awakened by the report of a pistol and, scurrying below stairs, finds the servants in dumb panic and a bagful of the precious miniatures gone. Athole Forbes, Axminster's American sister-in-law, is the only one able to throw any light on the midnight raid of the Towers and the loss of the miniatures. She talks of encountering a party of strangers in the dimly lighted house, of an attempt to strangle her, of the servants firing and of the appearance of a stranger who announced himself as Detective Sparkes.

Two Mysteries Combined.

Detective Sparkes, she declares, has gone in pursuit of the thieves. The whole household follows. The path leads to the Grand hotel, Birchampton. Here the mystery of the catastrophe to the balloon and the disappearance of its occupants becomes involved in the fresher mystery of the robbery of Axminster's miniatures and the odd appearance and flight of Detective Sparkes. Newspaper men are on guard in the hotel, watching a room which they have good reason to believe is tenanted by the man and woman who were in the balloon. Just as the newspaper men are about to bag their quarry the guests and owner of the Towers begin to put in an appearance. Colonel Morley, summoned from a banquet at the hotel, denies any knowledge of Detective Sparkes and disclaims having telephoned any warning to Lord Axminster about the contemplated raid on the latter's miniatures.

While Lord Axminster is arguing with the colonel and refusing to entertain his disclaimer about Detective Sparkes the occupants of the watched room get away, and newspaper reporters, Axminster and the county police start pell-mell in pursuit. To catch Detective Sparkes seems now the thing. The police are sure that Sparkes is no other than "the prince," a notorious and clever crook who enters the best houses in the land as a guest and who robs them as his entertainers sleep.

Every one is sure that not only did "the prince" enter the Axminster house as Sparkes, but that it was he who occupied the balloon with the unknown lady. The chase leads back to the Towers. Here Athole Forbes, with Yankee wit, unties the vexing knot. All through the process of solving the exciting riddle has run a love story between Athole Forbes and Fred Coleridge, the friend of the balloon owner.

"Arsene Lupin."

"Arsene Lupin" is a melodrama of the old school. A note of dastardly direfulness and of mysteriously mysterious mystery sounds throughout. False clews abound, and genuine thrills are not wanting.

There are moments when Arsene Lupin, if he is really as clever a thief as his pursuers believe him to be, blunders for the sake of taking the audience into his confidence, and, unlike Raffles, he works not alone, but as the leader of a gang.

Every one learns that Arsene Lupin masquerades as the Duke of Charmerace, although he is a felon who steals not for the excitement of the game, but for the value of the plunder. His depredations in the house of the plebeian art fancier, Gournay-Martin, are made easy by his connection with the latter as the affianced husband of Germaine Gournay-Martin, and the peculiar feature of his raids is that he is in the habit of warning his victim of the exact hour of his plundering visits.

Lupin a Polished Thief.

Of course Lupin is above suspicion in the eyes of his sweetheart's family. He is polished, suave and frank and in every detail of deportment the aristocrat he pretends to be.

The theft of some of Gournay-Martin's priceless pictures and tapestries first puts the famous detective, Guerchard, on his scent, and when he sends a notification that he will return a few days later for a diamond tiara which he had previously overlooked he and the detective are brought face to face.

One after another members of his gang fall under suspicion, among them Sonia, the Russian maid of Germaine, with whom he is in love and around whom the only romance of the play is woven. Then, by a series of deductions which in truth do not greatly distinguish Guerchard as the keen sleuth he is reputed to be, the toils begin to tighten around the great criminal.

Lupin's Unplayed Card.

Arsene Lupin, however, still holds an unplayed trump. As the detectives are about to lead him to prison he grabs a bomb, which afterward proves to be only a rubber ball, and threatens to blow himself and them into eternity. Then he dashes into a concealed elevator, to emerge a moment later in the disguise of the detective, and while Guerchard is being carried to the roof his victim pauses for a final love scene with Sonia and a promise to turn over a new leaf and makes his way to the street.

The play affords in the characters of Lupin and Guerchard two parts as "fat" as the most requiring actors could wish. William Courtenay, who impersonated the former, made excellent headway in it. More skillful, however, was Sidney Herbert's impersonation of Guerchard, which in every respect was an admirable exhibition of acting.

The best feminine role of Sonia was not laden with many opportunities for Miss Doris Keane.

FREDERICK TREGELLES.

VAGARIES OF THE ONE NIGHTERS

Nicholas Burnham, who plays one of the drummers in "The Traveling Salesman," referred to as "boots and shoes" because he is supposed to travel for a shoe house, has in his time played a great number of one night stands.

"When the troupe plays to a poor house in a one night stand one of the natives is sure to inform you that 'if you'll come back you'll have a good house.' There are different reasons given for the poor attendance. 'You ought to have been here on pay day,' or 'The fire laddies had a ball last night,' or this: 'The last show was burn, and the folks got disgusted,' etc.

"In a small town out west some years ago there was no mail delivery, and everybody had to go to the postoffice for the mail. We played there to a very poor house, but the landlord of the hotel told us after the show that everybody was just crazy to see the performance, but unfortunately the mail was late."

HATTIE WILLIAMS, STARRING IN "DETECTIVE SPARKES."

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THE PAVING OF MERRIMACK STREET.

The paving of Merrimack street is progressing rapidly and it is improbable that the work will be completed before the frost arrives. The most difficult part of the job and the most important is the paving of Merrimack square. That should be paved with heavier blocks than the four-inch quality as it has heavier traffic and is more cut up by car tracks.

THE LATE EX-MAYOR PALMER.

The late ex-Mayor Palmer was one of the most popular mayors Lowell has had in the last twenty-five years. Probably no other man ever occupied the mayor's chair who knew so many people and was so generally popular. He gave the city an excellent administration of its affairs during the three years of his incumbency, and his appointment of the city hall commission alone marked him as a man of excellent business judgment. That commission was by far the best ever chosen to perform any municipal task in Lowell, and the economy, skill and taste shown in the work of building the new city hall and Memorial building prove that fact. Of late years Mr. Palmer gave all his attention to the work of the state board of arbitration and conciliation in which his influence was always exerted in behalf of industrial peace on a basis of justice between the contending parties.

THE STATEMENT OF MR. HEINZE.

Everybody must regret the experience of Mr. Heinze in the automobile races, particularly so because his complaint in regard to a lack of public spirit in certain quarters seems to be true. He declares that he will never again embark in a movement to promote auto races in this city for the reason that he finds a lack of public spirit and a very general desire "to knock" and to block, to croak and complain; to whine and to pine with never a stop till the man on the top they have hurled right down again.

Unfortunately this spirit is rife in Lowell. It is partly due to jealousy against the men who have earned success, but it is in a measure due also to the pessimistic and fault-finding spirit shown by men who do nothing themselves but who are always ready to criticize the men who do things. Mr. Heinze gave his time to the auto races and if he put in a bill for the same we surmise that he would only be doing what others have done who worked no harder than he.

OPTIMISM IN LAWRENCE.

Judging from the reports we hear from Lawrence that city is booming to a greater extent than ever before. The people of Lawrence have got it into their heads that the city has a great future before it, that it is destined to outstrip Lowell, Worcester and even Boston. Talk about optimism. Lawrence is being inflated with it just as a balloon is inflated with hot air or illuminating gas. It will do no harm, of course, to let the people of Lawrence indulge their little pastime and voice their hobby of the moment; yet we are not prepared to believe that the city will cast off the slough of despond and branch out into a first class, progressive and enterprising New England city. Lawrence is of the opinion that a great big mill will put it on a par with Lowell. It is not numbers, it is not population, that makes a great city; no, it is the character, enterprise and energy of the population that counts. If a big mill attracts the right kind of people it will benefit a city; if the wrong kind, it will injure the city.

But whether the optimism of Lawrence residents be justified by facts, whether the hope of future growth be realized or not, this optimism is a good thing; and we should have more of it in Lowell, for here it is fully justified, not by the accession of any big mill but by a lot of industries doing a prosperous and steady business with every prospect of abundant success in the future. Lowell is not boasting much about her prospects, but yet she has enough to justify the best reports, the highest hopes of future success and of a career that will leave Lawrence far behind in the race. We approve the Lawrence method of booming the city and we say to every Lowell resident boom your own city. It may do good and can do no harm.

THE PAY-AS-YOU-ENTER IDEA

An agitation is being conducted in some quarters to have passengers pay their fare when getting upon the car. The movement seems to have started in Springfield and is said to have several advantages over present methods, among these being that it will afford the conductor more time to look after the comfort of passengers; it will save him from carrying around a pocketful of nickels and it will enable the passengers to cooperate with the company in preventing "knocking down."

We do not believe in any such system, at least for Lowell. Where large crowds board a car all at the same time it would cause delay to wait for each to deposit a fare in a slot machine. This delay would injure the service. Besides, the idea that it would prevent dishonesty is all wrong. Passengers might help a dishonest game just as readily as to hinder it. Moreover, we do not see that when the conductor has no fares to collect he devotes his time to looking after the comfort of the passengers. Some of course do, but the majority do not. Like every other craft, conductors differ in these respects, some, we might say many, being courteous, obliging, polite and active in waiting on passengers, while others are gruff, ugly, ill-tempered and "sassy" in their replies to ordinary inquiries.

It would take the public quite a while to conform to the new rule. The company in Lowell has been trying to have passengers leave by the front door and enter by the rear—all to save time, but not more than half the passengers seem to have ever heard of such a rule.

The safety of the passengers or the prevention of accidents is a matter of the greatest importance with all passengers and all railway companies. The new rule would hold up cars at transfer stations, the larger the crowd the longer the wait, so that it would be difficult to keep on schedule time and accidents might result. The present method we believe to serve all purposes best. As for knocking down, we believe that there is little or none of it on any street railway because the companies have such perfect methods of detection that the man who starts to put the company's money in his pocket will soon be dropped; he may not know for what but it may be for failing to account for a single fare.

The company that pays its men good wages will get conductors who think too much of their reputation to risk their position and their good name in trying to "cop" a few nickels that don't belong to them.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

The Whiteside-Strauss repertoire company opened a four days' engagement at the Opera House last evening, presenting as a first night's attraction the up-to-date melodrama, "His Sister's Sin." Despite the inclement weather the audience was fair sized and thoroughly enjoyed the performance which was given by a competent company. Most of the members of the company are new to Lowell and their work was appreciated by the audience. Will H. Strauss, the comedian, was particularly pleasing. The play, although a melodrama and heavy in parts, admitted of much good comedy. The cast was as follows:

Jim Drake, the boy....Will H. Strauss
Richard Maynard, his enemy, Jack Whiteside
Lewis Drake, his brother, Cecil Lagrin
Bob Sinclair, his friend....Karl Magse
Silas Drake, his father....Henry Lyon
Allie Drake, his sister....Louis Willard
Betty Belmont, his sweetheart, Bessie Johnson
Kate Drake, his brother's wife, Lola Vinal
Susanne Henry, his aunt, Marie LeClaire

There were no waits, for between the acts a fine vaudeville bill was presented. It included: The Johnson Sisters, in singing and dancing; the Musical Lockwoods, high class instrumentalists; Miss Leclair, in character songs; Miss Maude Clements, in songs and dances; Burdette brothers, comedy acrobats; Will H. Strauss, comedian, and Dewey in a variety of offerings.

This afternoon's play is the romantic melodrama, "A Daughter of the South." This evening the attraction will be "The Cowboy Millionaire."

"THE TRAVELING SALESMAN."

Elizabeth Mason, of the Traveling Salesman company, had an amusing experience the other day. While standing in the lobby of a theatre where her company was to play that evening she noticed a group of young women who were evidently deeply interested in the framed photos of "The Traveling Salesman" company. Naturally curious she drew near to hear an unbiased opinion, only to meet the fate of "listeners who never hear any good of themselves." "My, but that old woman must be a crank; did you ever see such a pickled mouth" "Her face would curdle sweet milk" were two of the encomiums passed upon Mrs. Babbitt. Little did the gentle critics dream that the original was standing within a few inches and while Miss Mason accepted the tribute to her successful make-up, she rather winced at a diagnosis so foreign to her nature.

Bob Blake and Beth Elliott in "The Traveling Salesman."

"THE GAY HUSSARS."

Under his management at the present time Mr. Henry W. Savage is offering to American playgoers the three biggest light operatic successes in the world. They include "The Merry Widow," "The Love Cure," and "The Gay Hussars." Two companies are playing "The Merry Widow" on tour; "The Love Cure" is playing in New York, and "The Gay Hussars" will be seen here at the Opera House, Monday, Oct. 4. Mr. Savage is organizing in New York another "The Gay Hussars" company, which opens its season in December. The organization which will be seen here is the same that enjoyed the all summer run in New York.

ROSE STAHL.

Although Rose Stahl has played the role of Patricia O'Brien in James Forbes' comedy, "The Chorus Lady," something like 3,500 times since she made her first vaudeville appearance, when this play was a twenty-minute sketch, she insists that the character never has become tiresome to her and that she is fully as much interested in the slangy, worldly wise chorus girl as she was the first time she assumed the character. "I sometimes feel as though Patricia and I are one and the same person," she says. Local playgoers will have an opportunity to see Miss Stahl in this part at the Opera House soon.

"THE CANDY SHOP" COMING.

Contracts have been signed for the appearance here at the Opera House soon of Manager Charles Dillingham's big musical production, "The Candy Shop." Comedian Frank Lalor of "Coming Thro' the Rye" fame is featured with the company.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

A very interesting little story is told in a bit of drama at Hathaway's theatre, this week. It is a production from the pen of Edmund Day and anything Day writes must have a little class. "On Stony Ground" is the name of the sketch and it certainly is a winner. There are a whole lot of little spots in it that captures one's feelings and carries one along to the very end. The New York bowery has been the scene of many a tragedy and things dramatic both in life and story and the fellow who uses the bowery these days for a foundation to his sketch is taking great chances, for the bowery has been almost werked to death in this line. Day, however, has used the bowery and has come out with flying colors.

The story is simple but convincingly true to life. There's a bowery lass whose environments do not permit of an improvement of the mind. She is a waitress in a restaurant and, at times, has served as model for a magazine illustrator. The artist is very kind to her and solicitous in a brotherly way for her future. Strangers have never passed out any such kindness to the bowery girl and she mistakes its meaning. She thinks the artist is in love with her. Anyhow the artists gets hitched and he takes his wife to a restaurant where his model is a waitress. Now this same little bowery model has a very beautiful sister somewhere. She was adopted, when a little girl, by a very wealthy family while the little model, who was not so fair of face, was allowed to remain in the unfortunate environments of her birth. Well, to make a long story short, the wife of the artist proves to be the beautiful sister of the model-waitress. The ending is good. There is another affaire d'amour in the piece, in which a young fellow who has just finished his apprenticeship as a plumber, figures. He is madly in love with the waitress and tells her so and she finally decides that, everything considered, a plumber would be a handy man about the house even though he couldn't pipe his way to the upper ten.

Miss Williams acts the role of "Maggie," the waitress in "The Fried Egg," excellently. J. Morris Foster was fairly good as the artist. Malvina Arment, as the pretty sister in the story, was very fetching, and James Cruze, as the plumber, gave a good touch to the character.

"The Piano Four" are very good. There's a dash to their offering that's not met with elsewhere. "The Piano Four" consists of Jane Boynton, Lotta Burnelle, Frances Ellison and Charles Clear. They play the piano, sing and dance and do all cleverly. There's snap and a twist to their performance that is positively refreshing. These four were members of the "Pianophiends" company that made so good throughout the country last season.

Chick Sale "in a school program is brimful of tickles and they're catching. Sale is a clever young man and seven distinct characters were given by him, from the teacher in the "deestrick" school, through "Percy Good," who gave a recitation; "Edna Curl," who sang; "Willie Swift," who "spoke a piece;" "May Spring," who gave another recitation; "Prof. Perciter, of the school board, who dilated on dandelions, and "Mr. Perkins," who talked to the children about the "annual doings." Sale was truth itself in portraying the various types.

J. T. Roy and Fred Nice in the singing and dancing skit, "My Friend from Heck," purveyed some grotesque steps and quiet comedy. Fred and Bess Lucier, old friends here, were pleasing, and Will and Edith Hart danced and sang. The show closed with some acrobatic didoes that were mirthful, Rosaire and Doretto supplying them. The motion pictures were new. Altogether it is the best bill yet offered this season.

Performances will be given every afternoon and evening throughout the remainder of the week, with special seats at the matinees for women.

STAR THEATRE

Amateurs who are classy will be seen at the Star theatre tonight, and it is expected that the show will surpass all other Tuesday evening performances on record at this popular amusement house.

A somersault over six chairs and a table is a feature of a very funny act by Rhodes and Adams.

Mlle. Eugenie Tessier, Lowell's celebrated blind singer, opened a permanent engagement at this theatre and with Babe Curry will sing beautifully illustrated songs.

THEATRE VOYONS

Yesterday the Theatre Voyons again showed its enterprise in presenting its patrons with the first showing of the motion pictures of the naval parade of last Saturday held in New York in connection with the Hudson-Fulton celebration. Today there was added to the program motion pictures showing the reception of Dr. Cook in New York. Besides these features there is shown Pathe's film D'art "The Tower of Basle," one of the highest class dramatic productions of the year.

TEXTILE SCHOOL

Freshmen Were Initiated Last Night

There was something doing at the corner of Pawtucket and School streets last night when a number of Textile sophomores turned out to initiate the freshies. Last year at this time the sophs were the newcomers and they got theirs good and hard but the only consolation that the freshie has while going through the stunts is that the following year he will be able to do to others as has been done to him.

The heavy downpour of rain did not affect the festivities in the least, for the harder it poured the more uncomfortable it was for the young men who were being put through the degrees.

Shortly after seven o'clock the second year men with a number of freshies in tow arrived and the latter were compelled to turn their coats inside out, roll their trousers up to their knees and disarrange their wearing apparel in various other ways. Then they were taken separately and each one was made to sing a song, give a speech and give his preparatory school yell. This was but a small part of the antics gone through before the ceremony closed.

ORDER OF OWLS

Frank M. Merrill Organized a Branch

Worcester nest, Order of Owls, was instituted last night in Arcanum hall, that city, by Deputy Supreme President Frank Lenford, Hartford, who was assisted by Deputy Supreme Organizer Frank M. Merrill, Lowell; Organizer Harry W. Jones, Hartford, who served as past supreme president, and J. P. Harrison, Hartford, supreme vice-president.

The officers were installed by the supreme officers.

It was decided to have sick benefits of $7 a week for 13 weeks and $3.50 a week for the next 13 weeks. The death benefit will be $100. Medical services and medicine will be free to members.

The supreme trustees have decided that after the order's membership reaches 10,000, each nest will be invited to enter into an arrangement for the establishment of a mortuary fund. Each nest will be assessed an extra per capita tax of 1 per cent, and will at the same time send a list of members in good standing. When a death occurs among those for whom the tax has been paid, the whole of the fund derived from the tax will be paid to the beneficiary and another levy of the tax will be made.

A nest is being organized in this city by Frank M. Merrill.

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LYNCH AND CARR

To Box Here for Featherweight Championship

The featherweight championship of New England will be decided in this city on Thursday evening when Johnny Lynch of South Boston and Eddie Carr of Chelsea, the leading 122 pound rivals of the squared circle, will don the gloves in a 12-round contest before the members of the Gladstone Athletic club in Associate hall. The winner will be met with several challenges from other aspirants to the championship title. It is agreed among the sporting writers of Boston, and the boxing experts generally that Lynch and Carr are the two logical and most likely aspirants and hence the unusual importance of their match. Both are training faithfully and will be in perfect condition for their bout on Thursday evening. A large delegation of Boston sports will follow them to Lowell to witness the match. The club also showed good judgment in the selection of the preliminaries, fo rthree good bouts have been arranged. The semi-final will be of eight rounds between Jack O'Heir of Centralville and Joe Nelson of Lawrence, two ambitious 140 pound boxers who can be depended upon to make good. Young Sullivan, a most promising featherweight of this city, will go six rounds against young O'Brien of Lawrence, while young Donnelly, also a featherweight, will tackle young Mack of the Spicket City. The meeting will be open to genuine members only and non-members will be barred. In the future the meetings will be semi-monthly and it is the intention of the club to present all first-class attractions and in all cases conform strictly to the provisions of the law, admitting none but genuine members.

THE SOCIALISTS

Nominated Daniel A. White for Governor

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—The state convention of the socialist party of Massachusetts was held in Payne Memorial hall late yesterday, Ambrose Miles of Lynn being chosen permanent chairman.

The following state ticket was nominated:

For governor—Daniel A. White, Brockton; for lieutenant governor—George G. Hall, Boston; for secretary of state—Harriet D'Orsay, Lynn; for treasurer—James B. Carr, Chelmsford; for auditor—Sylvester J. McBride, Watertown; for attorney general—John Weaver Sherman, Boston.

COTTON FUTURES

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Cotton futures opened steady. Sept. 13.05 bid; Oct. 13.10; Nov. —; Dec. 13.13; Jan. 13.10; Feb. —; March 13.19; April —; May 13.21; July 13.15.

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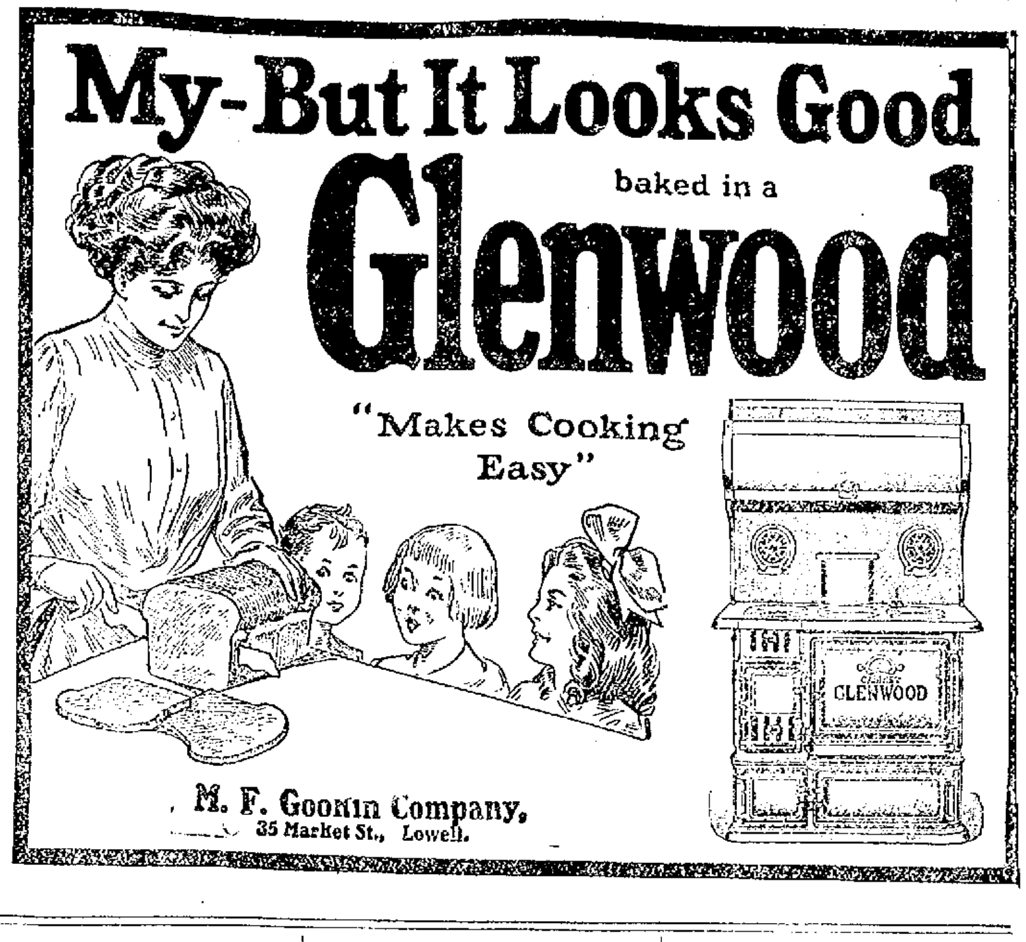

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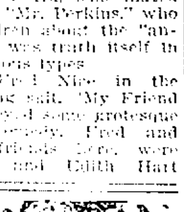
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HAD CONFEDERATE BILL

Child Acted as Santa Claus to Her Playmates

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—A week ago yesterday little Miss Rosie Werblinsky, 9 years old, found a $50 confederate bill while rumaging through her father's trunk, where it had reposed among a lot of souvenirs for the last four years, in her home at 130 Madison street.

Rosie, a pretty child with rosy cheeks, big brown eyes and black hair, didn't know the bill was bad, but something put it into her head to take it, anyway. She went to Mrs. Rachael Feinstein's grocery at 31 Market street and asked for a half dozen eggs and a quart of milk tendering in payment the $50 note. The grocery woman gave the child $49.74 in change.

Rosie has a wide circle of little friends. Imagine if you were 9 years old and fell heir to a fortune of nearly $50—well, Rosie just made Santa Claus look like a piker. First off there was a party in a vacant lot under the Manhattan bridge. Besides candles, cakes and pies there were pickles, ice cream, jelly tarts and heaps of goodies.

There was many an aching "tummy" at bedtime that night, but bright and early the following morning the guests were waiting outside Rosie's home long before she was washed and dressed. Most of them had hurried off without breakfast, but even those who had eaten found room for the morning spread, composed of syrup snowballs, ginger pop, sweet pickles, chocolate cake, peanut taffy, with a nickel box of ice cream for each guest, which Rosie provided. When every kid had stuffed full the hostess led a shopping expedition to Canal street.

For her bosom Chum Celia Himmelstein, Rosie bought a beautiful doll that could open and shut its eyes, a doll carriage and a pair of roller skates. The other girls received toys ranging from rubber dolls to doll houses and sets of furniture. Rosie and Celia hid their treasures in the woodshed in the cellar and after school each day they would meet the other children, who brought their toys along, under the bridge and feast to their heart's content. And thus the delightful days sped on, all too swiftly, with no thought that there was to be an end.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cahill, Mrs. Feinstein's sister, went to the Immigrant Industrial Savings bank to deposit $300 for the grocery woman. The receiving teller detected the confederate $50 bill and called a detective. Mrs. Cahill convinced the bank officials of her innocence, and they permitted her to go with the worthless note.

Her sister recalled that Rosie Werblinsky had passed the bill, and when her parents stoutly denied they knew she had taken it from the trunk, Policeman Cassidy of the Madison street station walked into class 4A in public school No. 177, at Monroe and Market streets, just before the dismissal bell rang, and right before the eyes of most of the children Rosie had entertained so regally he arrested her. She cried hysterically.

At the station house Rosie steadfastly declared that what remained of $49.74 she had hidden in her father's trunk. A search failed to recover a cent and she said she had no more money. She was sent to the Children's society.

POLITICAL TALK

Of Candidates and Several Coming Conventions

While the state election is yet many days away, the mayoralty campaign appears to have assumed shape and the candidates are now busy, one having already opened headquarters.

On the republican end it would appear that there will be but two candidates, Alderman John Wainwright and the mayor. Walter Coburn who was called upon to run, by a voice that left no doubt as to its sincerity, has declined to be a candidate, a decision which did not surprise his friends, and hence the opposition field was left to Alderman Wainwright, who would not have been a candidate in the event of Mr. Coburn entering the field. Mr. Wainwright at present is confining himself to soliciting the support of republican voters and it is understood that he is receiving encouragement on all sides.

Mayoralty Candidates

The democracy is confronted with three most likely candidates in the persons of Major Robert J. Crowley, Ex-Rep. James E. O'Donnell and William E. Maloney, former superintendent of the local street railroad. All three have formally announced their respective candidacies within a short time and have begun to get busy. All three are thoroughly competent and popular. Major Crowley and Mr. O'Donnell have had previous successful political experience in Lowell, the former in handling the campaigns of others and at city hall, and the latter at the polls, having been elected to the legislature on the democratic ticket in a republican district. Mr. Maloney is running for office in this city for the first time with the backing and support of many well known citizens who regard him as well equipped by training and ability to fill the position acceptably. A quiet antecaucus campaign is looked for in the democratic ranks, but on the other side, "Blessed are they that expect nothing for they shall not be disappointed."

The Eighth Senatorial District

The eighth senatorial district is about due for another democratic senator unless Senator Hibbard breaks all previous records by getting another term. The senator is opposed this year by Ex-Rep. Henry Draper, the first democrat to break into a republican representative district in recent years. Mr. Draper is making an active canvass and his friends are confident that he will pull off the election.

Mr. Mackenzie, the purchasing agent, will have a democratic opponent this year who will test his strength as a vote-getter. Thomas J. Fitzgerald, the well known wholesale and retail tobacco dealer, will be the democratic candidate and he is looked upon as a decidedly strong candidate. A successful business man he has had political experience as the treasurer of the democratic city committee and is well and favorably known throughout the city.

ALONZO G. WALSH.
Republican Candidate for Senator in the Seventh District.

A. G. Walsh's Contest

But before the municipal campaign is taken up there are several state election contests to be decided in and about Lowell and on next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock the delegates of the seventh republican senatorial convention will assemble in the republican headquarters and decide upon a senatorial candidate. Everyone in Lowell, regardless of party, hopes for the success of Alonzo G. Walsh of this city, whose chair is in doubt. The fight is between Mr. Walsh and Ex-Rep. Bennett of Saugus, while Senator Grimes has just enough delegates to make things interesting for the other two. There will be a lively time at republican headquarters on Saturday afternoon.

Representative Contests

Two representative contests that will attract some attention between the present time and election day are those in the 17th and 19th districts. In the former the democratic candidates are Stephen G. Monaghan and Thomas Golden who are opposing Rep. Erson B. Barlow and Ex-Councilman Marchand. In the 19th district Rep. Blaisdell of Tewksbury has a most formidable democratic opponent in Thomas Cuff, the well known druggist. Mr. Monaghan is exceptionally well known, having been in the employ of the Lowell Gas Light company since school days and a member of the Lowell Cadet band since its start many years ago as St. Patrick's Cadet band. Both democratic candidates are hustlers and it will not be surprising to see the success of McMannon and O'Donnell repeated in this district.

Other Conventions

The councillor convention comes Wednesday, Sept. 29, at 1.30 o'clock in the afternoon, at Wesleyan hall in East Cambridge.

The eighth senatorial convention will be held in the same place on Thursday, Sept. 30, at 3 p. m.

The 19th Middlesex representative convention comes Monday, October 4, at 8 p. m. The place of meeting for the 14th Middlesex representative convention is not yet fixed.

The state democratic convention will be held September 30, at 11 a. m. at Faneuil hall, in Boston. The eighth senatorial convention comes October 4, at 8 p. m., at the democratic headquarters in this city. The calls for the other conventions have not yet been issued.

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ADMIRAL DU PORD OF FRANCE AND HIS FLAGSHIP AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—France sent three of her newest and best battleships to the Hudson-Fulton celebration in command of Admiral Du Pord. The ships are Justice, Liberte and Verite and they represent nearly everything that is new in naval construction. The French ships were the first of the foreign visitors to arrive, and Admiral Du Pord was the guest of his countrymen in New York on several occasions before the fete was under way. He and Admiral Schroeder are old friends. This photograph of the French admiral was taken when he left his flagship to pay his first visit to the commander of the American fleet.

PRINCE ARRIVES

To Represent Sultan of Morocco

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—Conspicuous on the decks of the Canopic, which arrived yesterday from the Mediterranean, were four delegates representing the sultan of Morocco at the Hudson-Fulton celebration.

Sid Mohamed Ben Gelui, a prince, had seven servants who composed his retinue, and they kissed the hem of his rich robe each time they addressed him.

Dr. Othman, Holtzmann, physician to the sultan, only member of the delegation who speaks English, took an active part in straightening matters at the pier when some of the many pieces of baggage were temporarily lost sight of in the rush of disembarkation. Sid Mohamed Elarbi Essenhaji, the sultan's private secretary, and Sid Mohamed Ben Abdslam, chief notable of the city of Fez, completed the interesting group. Bearing credentials from the sultan and letters from the American embassy at Tangier the delegates were impatient to get to New York, for they must start for Morocco within ten days.

Prof. Vladimir G. Simkhovitch of the department of economic history of Columbia university, New York city, arrived in Boston in time to meet the party and conduct it to the Touraine, where the distinguished foreigners with their retinue of servants will remain during their visit in this city.

Yesterday afternoon the party, conducted by Prof. Simkhovitch, visited the public library, the famous monuments about the city and later spent some time as guests at Harvard college. With their Moorish garb and oriental customs the party created considerable comment at the various places visited. The members of the delegation confined themselves to their apartments after the dinner hour. This morning they left for New York.

JUST A WORD

Don't suffer pain in dentistry. Dr. Allen, Old City Hall, uses painless methods.

REV. MISS DIXON

Called to the Tewksbury Church

Rev. Sarah A. Dixon, Ph. D., has received a call to the First Congregational church in Tewksbury and it is understood that the call will be accepted. At a meeting of the church last night it was unanimously voted to extend the call. The matter of salary and vacation was left with the church committee and will probably be the same as in the case of the former pastor, namely, $1000 a year and the use of the parsonage. Dr. Dixon occupied the pulpit last Sunday and it is understood that the new pastorate will [illegible] Dr. Dixon re[illegible] not very long ago and her many friends in this city will [illegible] to learn that she will [illegible] in Lowell.

REV. SARAH A. DIXON.

RANSOM KILLED

MANILA, Sept. 28.—After running amuck and attacking the officers and hospital stewards of the United States hospital ship Relief, John Ransom [illegible] of the ship was shot and killed [illegible] He [illegible] on orders from the commander of the Relief.

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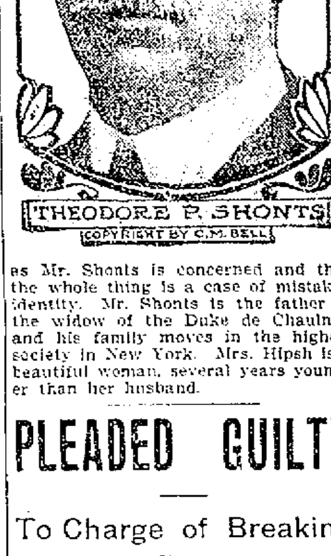
As to the experimental package of poslam, it can be had free of charge by mail of the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York. It alone is sufficient to clear the complexion over night, and to rid the face of pimples in twenty-four hours.

FINANCIER SUED

Angry Husband Places Damages at $200,000

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Theodore P. Shonts, president of the Interborough street railway interests in New York, has been sued for $200,000 by Edward Hipsh, the New York agent of a Kentucky distilling company, on the allegation of alienating the affections of Mrs. Hipsh. Mr. Shonts' attorney, De Lancey Nicoll, declares that there is no foundation for the charge so far as Mr. Shonts is concerned and that the whole thing is a case of mistaken identity. Mr. Shonts is the father of the widow of the Duke de Chaulnes, and his family moves in the highest society in New York. Mrs. Hipsh is a beautiful woman, several years younger than her husband.



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PLEADED GUILTY

To Charge of Breaking and Entering

LAWRENCE, Sept. 28.—Jeffrey O'Connell and James B. McCarthy pleaded guilty in the superior court yesterday to a charge of breaking and entering and unlawful appropriation. They were accused of entering a stable in Peabody, taking a horse and carriage and driving to Boston, later abandoning the turnout in Salem. O'Connell was sentenced to six months in the house of correction and McCarthy to the reformatory.

In the trial of Henry Ploss of Salem, charged with breaking and entering, Judge Hardy commented for the second time during the day on the tendency of the jurors at this term of court to acquit defendants. He said that he was no part of the prosecution, but that, if he was a jury he should consider it his duty to convict some persons for the good of the community.

Subsequently the jury, deliberating on the case of Michael Sullivan of Peabody, charged with breaking and entering, but out when the charge in the Ploss case was given, rendered a verdict of not guilty. Ploss was found guilty.

George H. Taylor of Boston pleaded not guilty to the charge of perjury, alleged to have been committed in Newburyport. It is charged that Taylor furnished straw bail. Bail was fixed at $2500, which was furnished. Thomas O'Brien pleaded not guilty and Marcel Biarchette and George Michaud guilty to the charge of breaking and entering in Salem.

Charles W. Noyes of Haverhill was placed on trial on statutory charge affecting his small daughter. The case was unfinished at adjournment.

HARRIMAN WILL

Widow is Named as Executrix

GOSHEN, N. Y., Sept. 28.—The will of E. H. Harriman was admitted to probate by Surrogate John B. Swezey [illegible] yesterday. Chas. A. Peabody [illegible] who witnessed the [illegible] made affidavit [illegible] will was probated [illegible]

[illegible] papers [illegible] Mrs. Harriman qualified as sole executrix and letters testamentary [illegible]

[illegible] attorney [illegible] estimated most [illegible] out of the [illegible] of change [illegible] by Mr. Harriman was [illegible] for the minor [illegible]

[illegible] he would not ask for the appointment of an appraiser of the estate at this time, but might do so later.

THE READING CO.

Fixes the Price of Coal, Says President Baer

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.—"There has never been any agreement, combination or conspiracy between the companies I represent and any other coal or railroad companies to control the output or sale of anthracite coal," declared George F. Baer of the Reading company yesterday when the hearing of the government's suit to dissolve the alleged hard coal trust was resumed in the federal building here.

"Some of my toplofitcal friends in New York who are operating coal companies and railroads said the Reading had no right to go west when our company began seeking a market in the west," he said.

Mr. Baer, who appeared on the stand for the first time in the two years the case has been under way, spoke for both the Reading companies and the Jersey Central railroad and Lehigh and Wilkesbarre company, of which he is the head. He entered a specific denial to all the charges contained in the complaint of the government filed in June, 1907.

In denying that the individual operators were forced to sell their coal to the coal carriers on the 65 per cent. basis, Mr. Baer said the individual operators entered into a voluntary agreement with the railroads. The cost of mining and selling the coal, he said, was expensive, and by selling their product to the railroad the individual risked nothing in transportation, had no expense in marketing his coal and was always sure of his money. The railroads, Mr. Baer said, did not care whether the independent companies continued the contract or canceled it.

Reading's Expense Heavy

Mr. Baer explained that the uniform price charged for anthracite coal is not the result of an agreement. The Reading company, he said, is under greater expense than any other company in producing coal and it fixes a fair price. The others follow and reap a greater profit.

Taking up the last increase of 50 cents a ton in domestic sizes after the strike of 1902, Mr. Baer said the increase in wages and other expenses resulting from the strike would have caused the company to operate at a loss or shut down had not the price been raised.

"The public must not forget," said Mr. Baer, turning to the newspaper men, "that 40 per cent. of the output of the Reading company is sold below cost of production. The public estimates coal profits on the prices of domestic sizes and does not take into consideration the low cost of steam sizes."

Purchase of New Jersey Central

Mr. Baer denied that the New Jersey Central railroad was acquired to shut off competition. He said the Jersey Central had the best harbor facilities in New York harbor for shipping coal, and had enough land for 100 years to come for expansion.

He heard that the Jersey Central was for sale and that the parties in control of it were tired of it. He went to J. P. Morgan and told him what he had heard and that the acquisition of the Jersey Central was necessary for the Reading for a New York terminus.

Mr. Morgan told Mr. Baer to investigate and the result was that the Jersey Central was secured by the Reading, not to stifle competition, Mr. Baer said, but to prevent competing companies from ruining the Reading.

Reading Controls Lehigh

The Temple iron company, the capital stock of which is owned by the majority of the hard coal carrying roads, acquired certain collieries, Mr. Baer said, to save the credit of the Erie company and other enterprises which would have been affected if the Erie got into financial difficulties.

Mr. Baer was cross-examined in the afternoon by James B. McReynolds, special assistant to the U. S. attorney general.

The witness admitted that all the roads shipping anthracite coal to New York are competitors. After this admission Mr. McReynolds got Mr. Baer to admit that the Reading company secured a controlling interest in the Lehigh Valley railroad company.

The Jersey Central stock, Mr. Baer testified, was acquired in 1901 and the same traffic arrangements exist now as prior to the acquisition. A large block of the Lehigh Valley stock, he said, was secured by the Reading, Erie, Lake Shore and other roads because the Lehigh Valley road was in bad financial condition, and the bad effect of its going into the hands of receivers would have been felt by other roads. The Reading company, he said, never had control of the Lehigh Valley.

Mr. Baer was the only witness of the day. The hearing was adjourned until Wednesday, when the final testimony will be taken in New York. It is not known when the case will be taken up in the U. S. court here.

BIG SMELTING CO.

Decided to go Out of Business

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—It was announced here today that the Boston & Colorado Smelting Co. which has been engaged in the smelting business at Denver for nearly 45 years is to be dissolved and the assets divided among its stockholders. These are largely residents in New England. Shortage of copper and other ores necessary in the making of copper matter is responsible for this action. Although the company is said to have lost heavily it is in a favorable condition for liquidation at the present time and the directors decided to end the company. The Boston & Colorado Smelting Co. was incorporated under Massachusetts laws in 1865 with $1,500,000 capital. It was later reincorporated under Colorado laws. Costello Converse of Newbridge is president.

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CHARITIES CONFERENCE

Separate Committees to Have Charge of the Sessions

The seventh session of the Massachusetts state conference of charities will be held in Boston on October 19, 20 and 21. Following the program of previous conferences the various sessions will be in charge of separate committees, made up of people thoroughly acquainted with the separate topics. An unusual array of speakers appears in the preliminary announcement. The first session will be an afternoon excursion to Waverly, to visit the School for the Feeble-minded. Dr. Walter E. Fernald will address the conference on the methods of the school. All other sessions will be held at Ford Hall at the corner of Ashburton place and Bowdoin street. The main features of the various sessions are announced as follows:

Tuesday evening, October 19, subject, "How the School Can Serve the Home." Addresses by Mrs. Ellen H. Richards, instructor in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Dr. George S. C. Badger, editor "Hygiene and Physical Education;" Francis Bardwell of Sherborn.

Wednesday morning, October 20, subject, "Dependent and Neglected Families and Children." Addresses by James E. Fee, of the Massachusetts Board of Charity; Miss Alice L. Higgins, Secretary Boston Associated Charities.

Wednesday afternoon: Subject "Social Work With the Sick and Convalescent." Addresses by Dr. Lewis M. Palmer of South Framingham; Dr. Richard C. Cabot of Boston.

Wednesday evening: Subject, "Hygiene of Sex." President Charles W. Eliot will preside and there will be addresses by Dr. Abner Post of Boston; President G. Stanley Hall of Clark university; Dr. Marshall H. Bailey of Cambridge; Miss Maud E. Miner, probation officer of the night court, New York; Dr. Francis D. Donoghue of Boston.

Thursday morning, October 21: Subject, "The Prevention of Drunkenness." Addresses are expected on "Treatment in Medical Clinics" and "Education in Temperance."

Thursday afternoon: Subject, "The Treatment of Inebriety." Addresses by Edwin Mulready, executive officer of the Massachusetts Probation commission; Dr. Irwin H. Neff, Superintendent of the Foxboro State hospital; Bailey B. Burritt, of the New York Charities Aid association.

A social gathering of all who attend the conference will be held at the rooms of the Twentieth Century club on Wednesday afternoon. The secretary of the conference, Seymour H. Stone, 18 Rutland street, will give further information to all who desire it.

DECLINE SHOWN

In the Exportation of Foodstuffs

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—Recent discussions regarding the apparent decline in the exportation of foodstuffs from the United States and the increasing share of its foodstuffs required by its own population lend interest to a statement just prepared by the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor showing the share of the wheat and corn crops exported and retained for consumption, respectively, and the quantity of meats and food animals exported during a term of years, the record having been brought down to the end of the fiscal year 1909.

These figures of the bureau of statistics make it apparent that the share exported of the wheat and corn crops of the United States has been materially less since 1903 than at any time during the twenty years immediately preceding that date. In the twenty-year period from 1883 to 1903 the share of the wheat crop exported ranged from 40 per cent. downward, on only two occasions falling below 26 per cent. In 1904, however, the share of the wheat crop exported was but 13 per cent.; in 1905, 8 per cent.; in 1906, 14 per cent.; in 1907, 20 per cent.; and in 1909, 17 per cent. these figures showing in each case the percentage which the exports of the fiscal year bore to the crop of the calendar year immediately preceding. The figures of 1909 show 14 million bushels of wheat, including flour in terms of wheat, exported in the fiscal year (ending June 30, and this exportation in the twelve months ending June 30 is compared, with the crop of the calendar year 1908. As to the production itself, of the figures utilized by the bureau (those of the department of agriculture) indicate that there is no material decline in quantity produced, but that the decrease in exportation is apparently due to the fact that consumption is growing more rapidly than production. The crop of 1908 is given at 665 million bushels, and has only been exceeded on five occasions in the history of the country, while the exportation in the fiscal year following the production of this 665 millions bushels, was but 114 million bushels, a figure less than in any year from 1891 to the present time, with the exceptions of 1905 and 1906.

Corn exportations also show a like falling off and a like reduction in the share which they form of the total crop. The percentage of the corn crop sent out of the country is always much less than that of wheat, the bulk of the enormous corn crop of the United States being transformed into meats before exportation. In 1898, 11.54 per cent of the corn crop was exported, and in 1900, 10.30 per cent; but, as a rule, the percentage exported falls much below these figures, having been in the fiscal year 1906, 4.13 per cent; in 1907, 2.95 per cent; in 1908, 2.12 per cent; while in the fiscal year 1909 only 1.41 per cent of the crop of the calendar year 1908 was exported, although that crop amounted to 2,668,651,000 bushels, the quantity exported in the fiscal year 1910 being 37,665,640 bushels, including meal in terms of corn, or less than in any year since 1876 with the single exception of the fiscal year 1902 following the short crop of 1901.

Meat exportations also show a marked falling off when compared with their export record during the last decade. The exports of fresh beef which in 1901 amounted to 352 million pounds, and in 1908 to over 270 million pounds, dropped to 123 millions in 1909; of salted or pickled beef, which in 1906 were 81 million pounds and in 1908 47 millions, showed but 44 1-2 millions in 1909; of canned beef, which in 1902 were 76 million pounds and in 1908 23 millions, amounted to but 11 million pounds in 1909. Tallow exportations fell from 128 million pounds in 1907 to 53 millions in 1909; lard, from 562 million pounds in 1899 and 334 millions in 1906 to 245 millions in 1909; exportations of hams show but a slight decrease, being in 1909 212 million pounds, against 227 millions in 1902, the highest record of the decade. Exports of pork, salted or pickled, dropped from 156 million pounds in 1905 to 52 millions in 1909; of lard, from 742 million pounds in 1906 and 603 million pounds in 1908 to 520 millions in 1909; of oleo oil, from 212 million pounds in 1908 to 150 millions in 1909, while the total value of all meat and dairy products exported fell from 211 million dollars in 1906 and 202 millions in 1907 to 167 millions in 1909, despite the higher prices which prevailed in the latter year.

The number of cattle exported, which totaled 593,000 in 1904, 584,000 in 1906, and 349,000 in 1908, was in 1909 but 205,000, or less than half the annual average during the five-year period immediately preceding.

In scarcely any of the important articles of foodstuffs are the figures of export values as high in 1909 as in immediately preceding years, although the prices per unit of quantity are, in most cases, higher in 1909 than in earlier years. The value of corn exports in 1909 was but 25 million dollars, against 54 millions in the immediately preceding year; of wheat, 88 million dollars, against 100 millions in the immediately preceding year; of flour, 51 millions in 1909, against 64 millions in 1908; of cattle, 18 millions in 1909, against 29 millions in 1908; and in nearly all articles of meats and in the total of meat and dairy products the figures of 1909 are, as already indicated, below those of the immediately preceding year or of the annual average of a brief term of years immediately preceding. The total value of all foodstuffs (including food animals) exported in the fiscal year 1909 was but 328 million dollars, against 521 millions in 1908, 583 millions in 1901, and 190 millions in 1898.

BRAVE OFFICER

Rescued Child From a Burning Building

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—Bertha Greenburg, 7 years old, had a narrow escape from being suffocated by smoke from a fire, which started in the room in which she was sleeping in her parents' home on the top floor of the three-story tenement house, 77 Phillips street, West End, at 8.15 last night.

The child was lying on a couch and the fire, which was fast eating up a bureau on the other side of the room, was giving out clouds of smoke, when Patrolman A. F. Marston of division 3 rushed in and carried her to safety.

At the time Mrs. Greenburg and two children, one of them a babe in arms, were in the kitchen in the rear of the tenement. When she saw the fire and smoke, she hustled out on the fire escape with the two children, unmindful of the little girl in the room.

Some one in the streets saw smoke coming from the upper windows of the house and yelled, attracting Patrolman Marston, who rushed upstairs. Seeing no one in the kitchen he made his way to the front room and rescued the almost unconscious child. He carried her to the tenement downstairs, where he found Mrs. Greenburg and the other two little ones.

An alarm was sounded from box 2123. It was a hard drag for the fire horses up the steep incline and all the firemen, with the exception of the drivers, jumped from the apparatus and gave the animals a lift. The fire destroyed the front room with its furnishings and did considerable damage to the room in the rear. The total damage was about $500. The building is owned by Benjamin Gurber.

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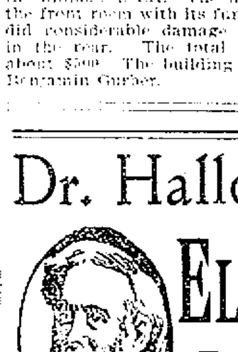

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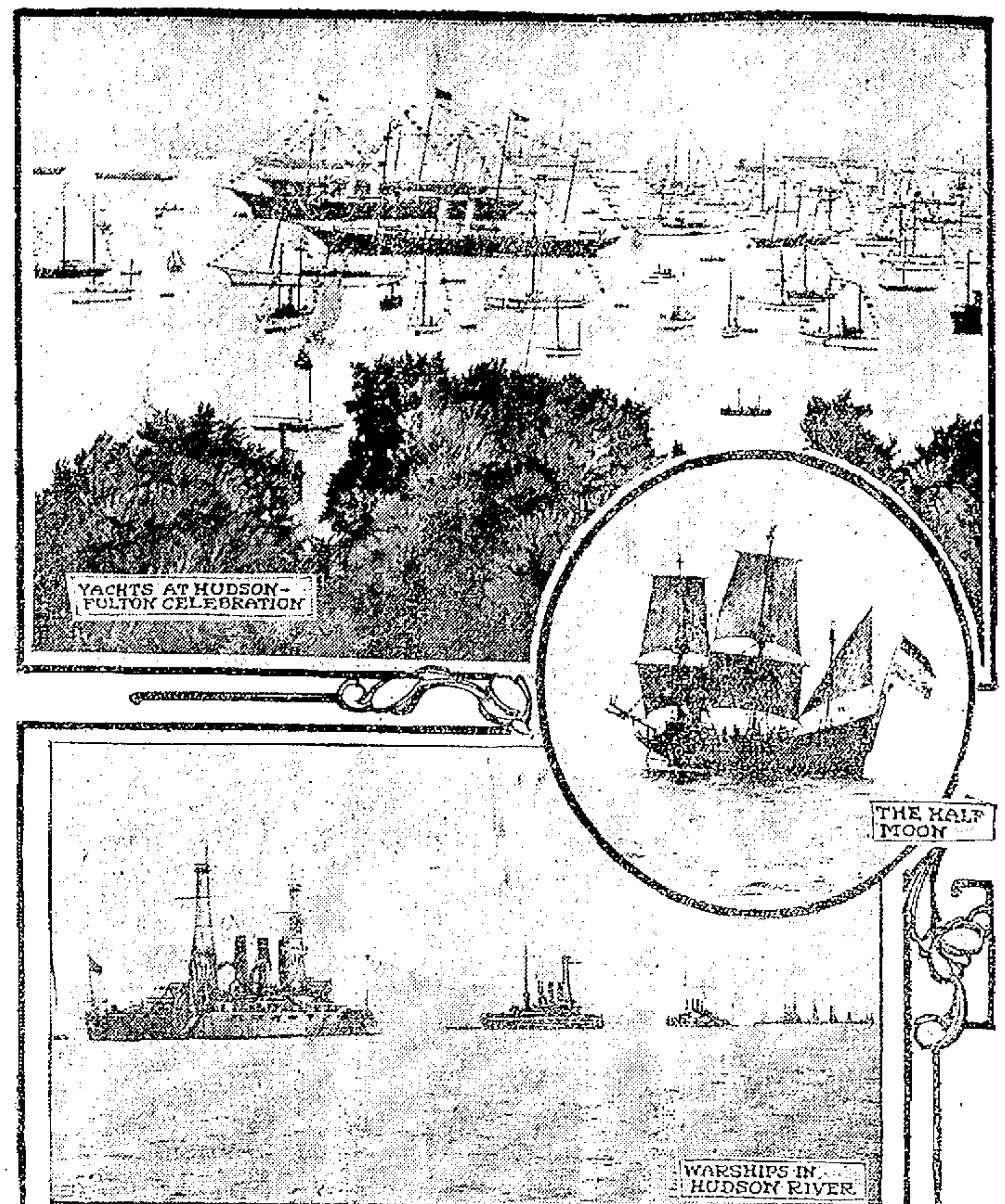

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—There were 78 steam yachts in the great parade of vessels that encircled the international warship fleet at the Hudson-Fulton celebration. These yachts, representing many millions of dollars, were gaily decked with flags for the afternoon parade, and in the evening procession they were brilliantly illuminated with colored lights, and many of them played searchlights on the warships and along the shores of the river as they proceeded up the stream. As the parade passed along the ten mile line of warships each in turn saluted the Half Moon and the Clermont with 21 guns. Such a thunder of guns was never heard in or around the harbor of New York. Although the palatial yachts formed only a small part of the water pageant, they attracted a great deal of attention. J. Pierpont Morgan's palatial Corsair was the flagship of the yacht fleet, which consisted of eight divisions. These pictures show some of the yachts dressed for the gala occasion and the Half Moon under sail.

GRAND RECEPTION

In Honor of the Envoys of Seven Nations

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—The envoys of the seven nations which have sent ships of war and the special delegates of other nations participating in the Hudson-Fulton celebration, were officially received last night at a reception in the Metropolitan Opera House under the auspices of the Hudson-Fulton commission. Seated on the stage was a distinguished gathering, including dignitaries from the countries of Europe, the Orient and South America, officials of city and state and men prominent in business and professional life of this country. One of the most conspicuous figures on the stage, and the only woman occupying such a position, was Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, the venerable author of the Battle Hymn of the Republic. Because of her advanced years, Mrs. Howe sat in a wheeled chair. At her left was Admiral Sir Edward Seymour of the British fleet, while nearby were M. Jean Gaston Darboux, the French representative; Rear-Admiral Seaton Schroeder, commanding the Atlantic battleship fleet; Contre-Amiral Le Pord, of the French battleship La Justice, and His Excellency Youssef Ziapasha, the Turkish minister.

On the right of Mayor McClellan sat Prince Kuni of Japan; Governor Chas. E. Hughes of this state; Grand Admiral Von Koester of the German fleet, and Vice-Admiral Di Brocchetti of the Italian fleet.

Behind the naval officers with their gold lace and decorations and dignitaries sat forty or more of the foreign representatives and members of the Hudson-Fulton commission, including General Stewart L. Woodford, former Mayor Seth Low, and others.

General Stewart L. Woodford, chairman of the Hudson-Fulton commission, formally called to order and introduced Mayor McClellan as chairman of the evening. Mayor McClellan introduced Bishop David H. Greer of the Episcopal diocese of New York, who delivered the invocation. The most conspicuous part of his remarks was his saying in the hearing of the naval officers of the chief powers of the world, "Bind the nations of the earth in the bonds of brotherhood and peace; make wars to cease and righteousness to reign."

In his address extending a welcome on behalf of the city, Mayor McClellan spoke briefly.

After a song by the New York Banks' Glee club, Mrs. Howe read an original poem, paying an eloquent tribute to Henry Hudson and Robert Fulton.

An address of welcome on behalf of the commission was delivered by General Woodford, then the roll of nations was called, beginning with Argentina and concluding with Turkey. There were cheers and handclapping as each delegate stepped forward and presented either a message from his sovereign or an appropriate address. The assemblage grew especially enthusiastic when the delegates of Japan, Holland, Germany and England came forward and the cheering lasted for more than a minute. The majority of the delegates presented their addresses after having read them to Mayor McClellan, while the delegate from Norway read a congratulatory message from King Haakon. Referring to the Vikings, he said that Norway had in reality discovered America before Columbus knew of its existence.

After the address of the Dutch delegate, J. T. Creamer, the national air of Holland was played, while the Hudson-Fulton flag was waved from the stage amid great cheering.

SIGNOR CANOVIA

TO WRITE ON THE ITALIAN BANKING SYSTEM

ROME, Sept. 28.—Signor Canovia, secretary of the Bank of Italy, who is now in Paris, telegraphs from that city that he has met Senator Nelson W. Aldrich, of the American monetary commission, to whom he explained in detail the Italian banking system. Signor Canovia said he has accepted an offer to write a paper on the subject for the commission.

STATE CAMPAIGN

The Democratic Leaders Outline Party's Policy

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—The republican party will be attacked on the national issues—the tariff, income tax and others—during the coming state campaign, according to the program laid down last night by the democratic leaders at a conference held at the City club, preceding the state convention to be held Thursday.

Chairman Fred J. MacLeod presided and the speakers were Congressmen Peters, Kelliher, and O'Connell, former mayor J. H. McNamee of Cambridge, Dr. John W. Coughlin, national democratic committeeman, from Fall River; former Mayor Connor of Northampton, and Edward Gallagher of Lowell. The state commissions were attacked by G. Bradford.

No opposition developed to the candidacy of James H. Vahey to lead the party's state ticket, although it was stated that Mayor J. T. Coughlin of Fall River intended to keep in the contest to the end. Neither Vahey nor Mayor Coughlin was present at the conference.

JUSTICE GAYNOR

Endorsed for Mayor of New York

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Justice William J. Gaynor, whose candidacy for the New York mayoralty has been endorsed by several independent and semi-independent political organizations, received the endorsement last night of a labor organization calling itself the "Workingmen's Political Party" and claiming to voice the sentiments of 32,000 members.

The democratic executive committee of Brooklyn voted last night to support Justice Gaynor in the democratic city convention. Senator McCarren, the Brooklyn leader, characterized Justice Gaynor as "the Tammany candidate."

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THE PRESIDENT

Had an Auto Ride Over the Mountains

HELENA, Mont., Sept. 28.—Attired in a linen duster and an old black slouch hat, and swinging an electric lantern at his side, President Taft was locked in a narrow iron cage and dropped 1200 feet through darkness into the depths of the famous old Leonard copper mine at Butte yesterday. He had the rare experience of seeing miners at work with a giant drill in a vein of high grade ore which sparkled green with its wealth of mineral. After half an hour underground, the president was brought to the surface blinking in the glare of the noonday sun. He was cheered to the echo by the crowd of curious people gathered at the hoist. He declared enthusiastically:

"I would not have missed it for the world."

It was the president's first visit to the Montana copper region and between the smelters at Anaconda and the mines at Butte he had a series of interesting experiences. Not the least of these was a thrilling automobile ride over the mountains from Butte to the mouth of the Leonard mine. The grades were steep and winding, but the chauffeurs were experienced men; and, while there was apparently no threat of danger at any stage of the trip, there was a sigh of relief when Mr. Taft had once more been placed safely aboard the Mayflower for the run to Helena.

On arriving at Helena, he went directly to the State fair grounds, where, after viewing a portion of the exhibits, he made an open air address and witnessed a race of cowboys. Returning to the city, Mr. Taft reviewed another parade.

After leaving Helena last evening he headed direct for Spokane, where he is expected today to deliver his formal speech on the conservation of the natural resources and the reclamation of arid lands.

President Taft walked with a limp when he first got off the train yesterday morning at Anaconda, the result of a sprained tendon in his right foot. The accident occurred at Beverly, but he suffered little inconvenience from it until yesterday when his foot was considerably swollen. There is nothing serious about the hurt, and Mr. Taft did not let it interfere in any way with his plans.

The president made a flying trip through the Washoe smelter of the Amalgamated Copper company at Anaconda; then proceeded into the city, and, after a brief address, took the train for Butte. The crowds which greeted him on the streets there were the largest he had seen since leaving Chicago. The police had their hands full in opening a way for the automobile procession and after the president's car had passed, the crowd swarmed in its wake. Speaking at the court house, the president looked out upon a mass of humanity which blocked the square and spread far down the converging streets. He made a decided hit with the great throng when he told them of the wonderful impression the country was making upon him and ending by saying:

"I am like the old Dutchman who said 'The more you live the more you find, by golly, out.'" When the president disappeared down the shaft of the Leonard mine, yesterday with a hearty good-bye shouted to the waving group at the entrance, he carried with him into the depths of the earth two of his cabinet officers, and won the presidential record for the farthest underground.

President Roosevelt entered some of the Butte mines during his term, but did not get down to the 1200 foot level.

Postmaster General Hitchcock, who joined the president yesterday at Anaconda, and Secretary Ballinger accompanied the president in the picturesque trip down the dark chute and through the cross-cuts and drifts of the deep level.

The whole method of copper mining was explained to the president.

At Butte, the president received a full sized golf club driver made of copper, silver and gold, the three metals which have made the Butte camp famous.

On the head of the driver the following inscription was engraved:

"William Howard Taft, Champion 1909-1913 foursome, Butte, Mont., September 27, 1909."

When the president's special train pulled into Helena a reception committee composed of 400 citizens from all parts of Montana greeted Mr. Taft. He was driven in an automobile directly to the Fair grounds where the fair was in progress. Fully 20,000 people gathered in and about the grounds to see and hear the president.

PROF. PEARSON BURIED

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—Attended by prominent medical men from various parts of the country, the funeral of Dr. Leonard Pearson, professor of veterinary medicine in the University of Pennsylvania since 1891, was held late yesterday at Forest Hills cemetery, the officiating clergyman being Rev. Harris D. Hale of Brooklyn, N. Y.

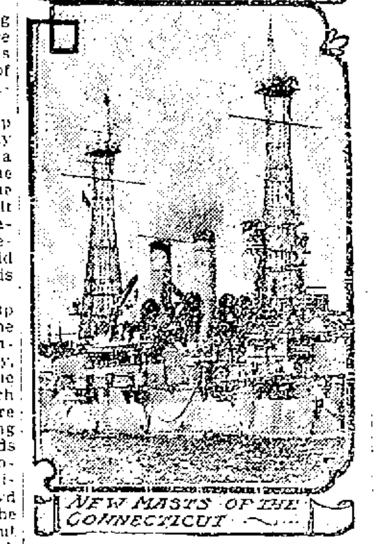
Dr. Pearson died at Spruce Brook, Newfoundland, a week ago and the body was brought here yesterday.

THE U. S. ADMIRAL

And Flagship at the Hudson Fete

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Rear-Admiral Seaton Schroeder, who is in command of the Atlantic battleship fleet, is the busiest man connected with the Hudson-Fulton celebration, for the major part of the entertainment of the visiting naval officers devolves upon him. Schroeder is the ranking American officer at the fete, and as such he not only has to look after the welfare of his own fleet, but must see to the comfort of his visitors. Innumerable interchanges of courtesies according to naval etiquette give the admiral more to do than has fallen to the lot of an American officer in many years.

REAR ADMIRAL SCHROEDER



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Next week is "quarter week" at the Lowell Five Cent Savings bank.

NEW ALLEYS

OF Y. M. C. I. TO BE OPENED TONIGHT

The Young Men's Catholic Institute will formally open its new bowling alleys, tonight. Three new regulation alleys have been installed by the Brunswick, Balk, Collinder Co., of New York. These alleys are by far the best and highest priced in the city at the present time. Rev. George Nolan, O. M. I., the newly appointed pastor of the Immaculate Conception church, will roll the first ball on the alleys. The contest of the evening will be a three-cornered match between the Y. M. C. I. team and two teams, including the best men in the Catholic league. James Wynne will captain one team while George Lebrun will captain the other.

Friday evening, Oct. 8, '09, the Institute will hold its first winter social. The famous Union Singing orchestra of Marlboro will furnish the music. The entertainment will consist of songs, readings and specialties between the dances by the best local talent. Dancing will start at 8 o'clock sharp.

Tuesday evening, October 5, '09, there will be a Ladies' Night at the rooms. Gilmore's orchestra will furnish the music for dancing.

EXPLORER COOK

TO DELIVER A LECTURE IN BOSTON

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—It was announced last night that Dr. Frederick A. Cook will deliver a lecture here next Friday night under the auspices of the Arctic Club of America.

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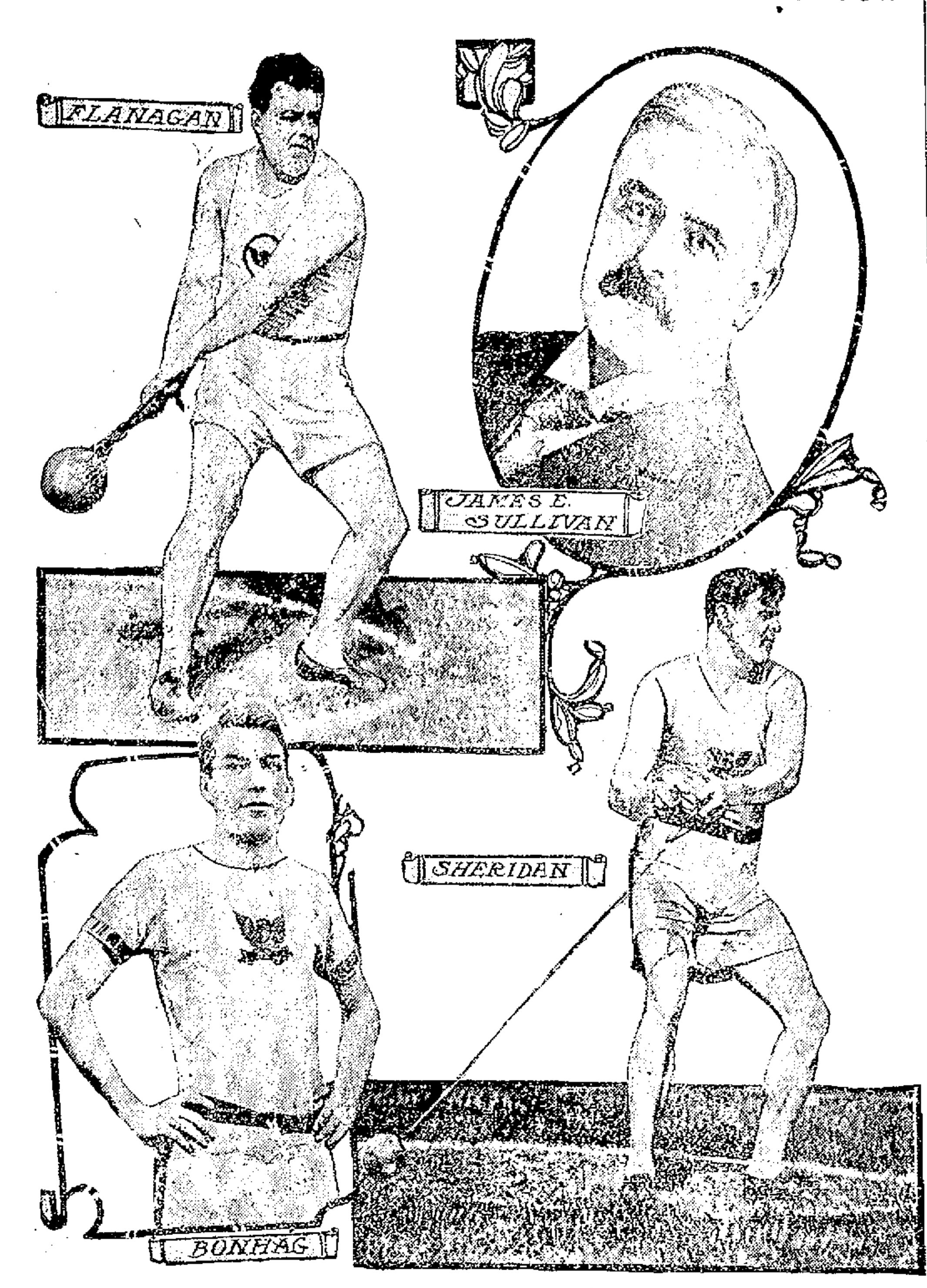

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—With the national championships to be held Oct. 4 and 5 in New York the indoor season of 1909-10 begins. Heretofore this epoch in amateur athletics was usually held later in the season, and the fact that it has been placed at an early date makes it the big harbinger of the season. The feature of these championships will be the 600 and 1000 yard races. Sheppard, Lunghi, Kiviat, Hillman and Gissing will start in these events, and it is a toss up as to who will win. The burst of speed with which Sheppard finished the half mile recently at the senior metropolitan championships shows that he is returning to his old time form. Gissing is a dangerous man at any time, and the New York Athletic club followers are depending on him to win the 1000 yard event. Lunghi is a marvel at any distance from 600 to 1000 yards, and many claim he can smash all the records between these two distances. Hillman, when trained for a 600 yard race has never yet met his equal. Kiviat is a wonder for his age. Although only a schoolboy, he has already traveled close to record time on several occasions. He is a most consistent performer, and a good race is always assured when he starts. These five men are undoubtedly the fastest in the world today in their class, and it will be many a day before such a select field faces the start. In the two mile race George Bonhag, the record holder, will toe the mark with Wilson, the English champion; Sullivan, Daly, Collins, Bellars, Bailey and other well known distance men. Bonhag has been resting up all summer, but is in training for these games, and if he reaches the form he was in last winter he will surely be the champion. The foremost weight tossers of the world will be on hand, and some great competition will be seen when Sheridan, Flanagan, Macdonald, Horr, Elliott and Meyer of the Irish club, Lawrence, Dearborn, McGrath and Gillis, New York Athletic club; W. W. Coe, Boston A. A., and other well known weight men get together. Lawrence of the New York Athletic club and Elliott, Irish American Athletic club, are probably the two youngest weight throwers of championship caliber in America, but they are pretty sure of being placed in the events in which they compete. Following is a list of events scheduled to be held: Seventy-five yard run, 300 yard run, 1000 yard run, two mile run, 220 yard hurdle (ten flights, three feet six inches), standing broad jump, running hop, step and jump, throwing fifty-six pound weight for height, putting eight pound shot, pole vault for distance, running high jump and one mile walk. Mr. James E. Sullivan, president of the Amateur Athletic union, and other officials, desiring to co-operate with the Hudson-Fulton celebration commission, have arranged to have the monster championship athletic carnival known as the official Hudson-Fulton celebration athletic meeting.

PEARY MAKES REPLY

To the Statements Given Out by Explorer Cook

BAR HARBOR, Me., Sept. 28.—Commander Robert E. Peary, accompanied by his wife, reached here last night from Portland and within half an hour of his arrival was in conference with General Thomas H. Hubbard, president of the Peary Arctic Club, concerning the statement which will shortly be made public by Commander Peary to support his contention that Dr. Frederick A. Cook did not reach the pole. The two were still in conference late last night at General Hubbard's summer home, where the explorer was a guest.

The consultation will be continued today, and late in the day Commander Peary will probably return to his home at Eagle Island. It is generally believed that he and General Hubbard will go to New York together.

During the trip to Bar Harbor, Mr. Peary spoke frequently of Harry Whitney. "There might have been some strange reasons why Whitney did not go back to Etah in the Jeanie for Dr. Cook's stuff," he said. "I cannot understand how anyone could let his records get out of his hands. I would not give my records to my dearest relative. I say again I do not see how Cook could have turned his stuff over to Whitney or anybody else. I secured my instruments in a box and the bag which I took to the pole. I sewed them in my clothes and wore them until I reached Battle Harbor.

"I kept my records under watch day and night and I was prepared in case the Roosevelt was crushed in the ice to throw them overboard so that they could float in their cases. Can you imagine my giving up those records to a perfect stranger? Harry Whitney did not tell me what was in Dr. Cook's stuff except six fox skins and some other trophies. I cannot see why I should have carried the stuff when Cook could have taken it. If Dr. Cook's stuff was of such importance why did not Whitney go back in the Jeanie and get it?

"I saw Dr. Cook's sledge at Etah and looked it over carefully, while Prof. McMillan held up Cook's snow shoes and showed them to me. But I did not examine the snow shoes carefully."

Reverting to Dr. Cook's things, he continued:

"I imagine Dr. Cook's stuff was made up of superfluous instruments. After Whitney had put the stuff ashore I told the Eskimos to leave it alone.

"On my return from the pole I saw all the Eskimos and talked with them. After what I heard I would not credit Cook's claims. The letter that told me that Dr. Cook had claimed the pole was from a whaler named Captain Adams and not Walker as has been stated. The letter was dated June 17 and I received it at Cape York."

"What proof will you require of an explorer that he had been far north?" Peary was asked.

"That if a man went to the highest point that had been reached before, he would bring back the records he found," said Commander Peary.

"You will note that Cook's route to the pole was 197 miles longer each way than mine. The people can make their own deductions whether Dr Cook, with his equipment, could have made such a journey.

"In Cook's claims he went from [illegible] to 90 degrees and back to 76 degrees altogether just [illegible]. Then [illegible] that the best previous record made by any explorer was a total of [illegible] degrees.

"I cannot say whether the extra 197 miles of journey that Cook says he traveled would have kept me away from the pole or not. It might and it might not have; the difficulty in Arctic travel as you proceed [illegible] is [illegible] but is not [illegible]."

EXPLORER COOK

REPLIES TO CHARGES MADE BY PEARY

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Dr. Cook consented last night to give the Associated Press a formal reply to some of the most material of the charges brought against him by Commander Peary. A more complete declaration will be issued by the explorer when Commander Peary makes his accusations over his own signature. In his statement, Dr. Cook says:

"Commander Peary says that my sledges were not fitted to Arctic travel, and that he would not care to voyage in the Arctic with them. The only sledge Commander Peary saw was half a one, which I had given to Mr. Whitney as a souvenir. The remainder of it had been used to make bows and arrows.

"As to my reasons for leaving my instruments with Mr. Whitney, he had told me that the Erie was coming to Etah and would take him over to the American side to hunt big game and would come back later to Annatok. The distance from Annatok to Upernavik by the route which I was compelled to follow was nearly 700 miles. In that journey I had to travel over high land in two places, with glaciers and difficult places to negotiate. The ice was extremely rough and there was a good deal of water to be expected that would have subjected the instruments to a risk which was entirely unnecessary when Mr. Whitney awaited a ship to go to Etah for him, upon which he expected to return direct to America.

"By going to Upernavik I hoped to get back by the end of July or the middle of August. I wanted to see my family as soon as possible, as I had been separated from them for over two years, while Mr. Whitney did not expect to get back before October.

"As to the charge that I had not found traces of Commander Peary's record at Cape Thomas Hubbard, the point which Commander Peary would call Cape Thomas Hubbard, is a round promontory, and it would be difficult to find any distinct point which could be positively recognized as Cape Thomas Hubbard. From Commander Peary's map I am absolutely unable to locate Cape Thomas Hubbard. We did not search for any cairn where records might be deposited. In fact I did not know that Commander Peary had left any records there.

"Considerably to the west I did see a rock which might have been a cache, but it might have been merely a clump of rocks. I was at a very long distance from it and there was no reason why I should have searched. I left a cache of provisions close to the beginning of the cliffs of what Sverdrup puts down as Svartevoeg. There is no indication near where we left our provisions."

ASSAULT CHARGE

LAWRENCE, Sept. 28.—Tony Caruso, a 17-year-old Italian boy, was sentenced to the Concord reformatory yesterday on the charge of assault on another boy, Dominico Terresi. The latter received a severe gash in the abdomen, which Dr. Cutter said required about 100 stitches to close. For a time it was feared the injury would prove fatal.

The assault was committed Sept. 4, the defendant and another boy having quarreled, the latter endeavoring to strike him with a pocket knife. The Terresi lad endeavored to act as peacemaker and received the blow intended for another.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Martha A. Neal, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Susie L. D. Watson, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the nineteenth day of October A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Oscar W. Ereckson, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased:

Whereas, C. Edward Pihl, administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition praying the Court to determine the amount of money which he may pay for the burial lot, monument and the perpetual care of said lot in which the body of said deceased is buried, and to whom the same shall be paid:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the twenty-ninth day of September A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

J. Joseph O'Connor, Atty.

PAIGE ST. CHURCH

Calls Rev. B. R. Harris From Bradford, N. H.

Rev. B. R. Harris of Bradford, N. H., has received a call from this city to become the pastor of the Paige Street Free Baptist church and will take up his duties in this city on October 17.

The following letter was read Sunday at the Paige Street church:

To the Members of the First Free Baptist Church, Lowell, Mass.:

Dear Brothers and Sisters: Believing that the call extended to me by you Sept. 19 opens a door for usefulness in our Master's service in Lowell, I accept the same, expecting the hearty cooperation of each member of the church in laying under his blessing to make the most of the opportunity for His glory.

With your consent at the time of the beginning of my service with you will be Oct. 17, 1909.

May we all pray earnestly that his blessing may abundantly rest upon you and me in our work together, and that many may be born by his spirit into his kingdom.

Yours in His Name,
Benjamin R. Harris.
Bradford, N. H.

The following item recently appeared in the Warner Independent and Times:

"Rev. B. R. Harris read his resignation as pastor of the Baptist church, last Sunday. He has accepted the pastorate of a Baptist church in Lowell, Mass., and will begin his duties there some time in October. He has been here for nearly five years and made many friends who regret his departure. He has made himself not only a fine pastor, but pleasant neighbor and friend. His family will also be much missed."

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

A demonstration of class work of the young men will be given next week Wednesday evening in the gymnasium to which all the young men of the city are invited. New members are already coming in, and the gym promises to be lively this fall. Next week is membership week, and you should not fail to obtain yours. Get a man, and get that 100 by Oct. 11.

A meeting of the executive committee [illegible] will be held this evening [illegible] evening.

The men's meeting of October 17 [illegible] the opening of the association program [illegible] to be a good one with Dr. Clark of the Schubert quartet of Boston and R. A. Elwood of New Jersey in his address of "Wanted—A Man."

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BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 28.—Martin L. Keogh, of Wilmington, Del., was walking down Washington street last night when Jacob Plumm, of Rochester, N. H., ran up to him and stabbed him in the neck with a keen bladed knife. Plumm was arrested. At the police station he declared that Keogh was a Black Hand man who had trailed him from the east. Plumm will be examined as to his sanity. Keogh will recover.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

5-ROOM HOUSE, good size, lot of land, near Appleton st., for sale. Price only $750. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

TWO STORY HOUSE, one acre of land, lot of fruit, in Chelmsford Centre, for sale. Price $1500. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central st.

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CELLAR CEMENTING, sewer connections of any kind done by experienced men at reasonable figures. Estimates given. Best of references. Patrick J. Morris, 141 Ludlam st.

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ALL ROUND GIRL wanted at once. Apply New Weston House, 54 Lee st.

AN UNFURNISHED ROOM wanted in respectable family for light housekeeping, lower floor preferred. Address L., Sun Office.

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GIRL WANTED to assist in housework, at 74 Canton st.

COAT and PANTS MAKER wanted at Harry Raymond's, 118 Gorham st.

AN ALL ROUND MAN wanted to work Saturday nights in kitchen. Apply [illegible] Lunch [illegible] Prescott st.

EXPERIENCED HOUSE GIRL wanted. Apply 74 [illegible] st.

MIDDLE AGED WOMAN wanted to mind [illegible]. One who will [illegible] to [illegible]. [illegible] st.

EXPERIENCED BEADERS ON SHOES wanted. [illegible] Beading Co., 44 Central St., Lowell, Mass.

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LOST AND FOUND

POCKETBOOK lost between South common and depot, Sept. 27. Reward if returned to 16 Keene street.

SMALL GUN METAL WATCH with gold mountings and fob lost Sept. 20th. Open face; monogram on back. Reward for return at 42 Central st. M. Madigan.

AN OPAL RING with four initials on inside, lost Sept. 25, on either Merrimack st. or Decatur ave. Return to Mrs. Rose Perigny, 9 Decatur ave. Reward.

GOLD CHAIN CHARM lost, pear shaped nugget. Reward, C. A. Spencer, 29 Middle St.

SUM OF MONEY lost, last week, between Agawam and Central streets, by way of Lawrence, Swift and Whipple streets. Reward at 50 Agawam street.

GOLD CROSS AND CHAIN lost Friday, Sept. 17, either in Theatre La Scala or St. Peter's church, or on Gorham st. Reward if returned to 17 Burns st.

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8.56	9.35	1.05	1.37
b9.27	10.35	1.15	1.52
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11.38	12.20	3.46	[illegible]
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4.09	4.50	5.58	[illegible]
4.28	5.30	b5.51	[illegible]
5.20	6.15	s6.14	[illegible]
b6.13	7.10	7.00	[illegible]
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8.21	9.10	[illegible]	11.51
10.00	10.40	11.20	[illegible]

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve	Arr	From Boston. Lve.	Arr
5.46	7.55	[illegible]	[illegible]
8.04	8.55	7.30	8.52
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[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
		11.25	12.31

*Runs to Lowell Saturdays only.
a Via Lawrence Junction.
b Via Bedford.
c Via Salem Jct.
s Via Wilmington Junction.

SUNDAY TRAINS
WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	9.20	8.60	9.08
12.10	1.15	12.00	[illegible]
3.50	5.00	2.15	3.25
5.45	7.00	3.30	[illegible]
8.50	10.02	5.20	[illegible]
		8.40	[illegible]

SUNDAY TRAINS
SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.49	[illegible]	9.00	10.00
7.22	8.05	10.00	[illegible]
8.50	8.40	11.30	[illegible]
8.46	9.49	1.00	[illegible]
9.20	10.15	[illegible]	[illegible]
10.30	11.28	[illegible]	[illegible]
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[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

LOCAL NEWS

First-class work, Tobin's Printery.

Undertaker Finnegan, Davis Sq. Tel.

Gilmore's orchestra North Chelmsford, Friday evening.

When placing insurance consult J. F. Donohoe, Donovan Building. Tel.

Dr. Clifford wishes to notify his customers that he has returned and is again ready for business at 30 Westford St.

Teeth extracted and filled without pain by the Ohlandine system of painless dentistry. Dr. Gagnon, 10 Merrick st.

Miss Kittie [illegible] will have her fall display of millinery on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 1 and 2 at her parlors, rooms 45-46 Central block.

CALLED A DRAW

Lauden Entered the Ring a Favorite

CHICAGO, Sept. 28—Leonard Lauden, the California lightweight, entered the ring a warm favorite over Morris Bloom of Chicago last night at the Phoenix A. C., but the best he could get was a draw at the end of the eighth round. The contest ended with Lauden the stronger.

SENATOR ALDRICH

GUEST OF GOVERNOR OF BANK OF PARIS

PARIS, Sept. 28—Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island and Prof. Andrews who are here gathering information for the report of the monetary commission are the recipients of great attention. They have been dined by M. Pallain, governor of the bank of France, M. Cochery, minister of finance, and the heads of several prominent French credit institutions and they have had a number of interviews with financial experts.

TEXTILE SCHOOL

REGISTRATION FOR EVENING CLASSES OPENS TOMORROW.

The evening classes of the Lowell Textile school will open on October 18th and registration will begin tomorrow evening and continue every Thursday evening until the opening of the session.

The
GILBRIDE
Dry Goods Co.

Wishes to inform its patrons and the public that its store will be closed this afternoon and will be open every Tuesday after this date. This is the last of the half holiday closing.

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HATHASCOPE
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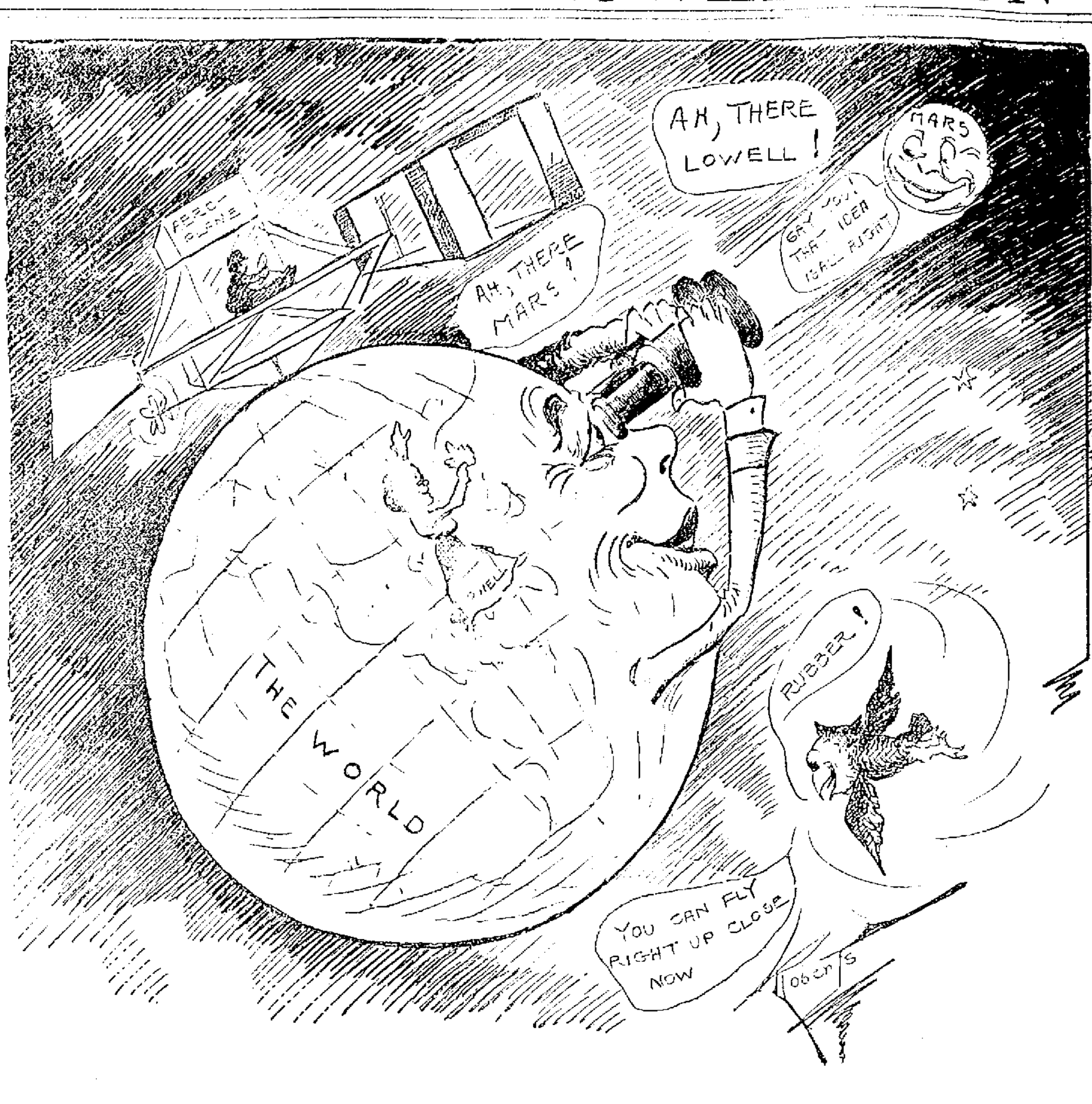
Ladies' Bargain Matinees Every Day
[illegible]

Academy of Music
Flynn, [illegible]
"HIGH CLASS VAUDEVILLE"
Moving Pictures
"PRES. TAFT IN CHICAGO"
And at the [illegible]
Admission 5 and 10 Cents

THEATRE VOYONS
Hudson-Fulton Celebration,
Dr. Cook,
PATHE FILM D'ART
TEN CENTS—THAT'S ALL



PIPE DREAM POSSIBILITIES OF THE FUTURE

HOLDUP IN SALOON

One Man Killed and Two Others Seriously Wounded

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.—One man is dead and two others are in a hospital in this city suffering from bullet wounds as the result of a holdup in a saloon at Yorke road and Lycoming street in the northern part of the city late last night. The highwayman who was masked made his escape. The dead man who was shot through the abdomen was Jas. Quinn, 23 years of age, an elevator operator and son of the proprietor of the saloon. The wounded men are Henry Sailor aged 23 and John J. Cassidy, 37. Sailor has a bullet wound under the heart and his condition is serious. Cassidy was not badly hurt.

Patrick J. Quinn, the proprietor of the saloon, informed his family that he was going to attend a lodge meeting and his son agreed to look after the place. Before leaving the saloon the elder Quinn treated all in the place to drinks. Before his death in the hospital Young Quinn said it was one of the men who was treated that later did the shooting. It was raining hard last night and young Quinn and the two customers were chatting in the well lighted saloon when the men walked into the place and up to the bar. Quinn prepared to wait upon them when he found himself looking into the barrel of a revolver.

"Everybody, hands up," was the robber's first comment and this was followed by the order to open the cash drawer. Quinn opened the cash drawer, but he did not move quick enough to suit the robber and he called out, "Hurry up, you."

Quinn seized a handful of bills, about $17, when the man fired the first shot. The bullet struck Quinn in the abdomen. The wounded man with several bills in his hand fell to the floor. The police have a theory that the robber thought Quinn who was fumbling in the drawer was looking for a revolver.

Cassidy and Sailor both ran for the door. The robber swung around and said: "Stand where you are. You are not going out and bring the police down on me."

Cassidy says he stopped but not quickly enough for the robber and was shot in the side. What happened to Sailor is not fully known. At the hospital he was only able to say that the robber had shot him, taken his valuables and fled.

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Matinees Tues., Wed. and Thurs.
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NEW PLAYS—NEW VAUDEVILLE
Tues. Mat.—A Daughter of the South.
Tues. Eve.—A Cowboy Millionaire
Wed. Mat.—Beyond the Law.
Wed. Eve.—A Doctor's Crime.
Thurs. Mat.—King of Tramps.
Thurs. Eve.—For a Human Life.
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EXHIBITION OF FALL MILLINERY

Miss Ella M. Burke at 20 Palmer street, in the Pollard building, held her fall and winter opening yesterday and today, and while the weather conditions were not what the ladies would like, a very large number was attracted to her beautiful millinery parlors knowing that there would be something out of the ordinary to be seen.

The parlors were beautifully decorated with hydrangeas, Jacqueminot roses and cut flowers which added greatly to the attraction of the display of original and up-to-date millinery. Miss Burke has always been considered one of the most expert milliners in this city, and the display at her store this year seems to exceed that of former years, and no doubt her patronage will be larger than ever. All the ladies have to do is to call at this fashionable establishment and they are sure to find just what they want in the millinery line. The formal opening will continue the rest of the week and all are cordially invited to call.

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300, COUNT 'EM"
("BOB BLAKE")
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This Fall there is an abundance of models to select from. Full of dash and ginger, graceful in contour, distinctive in appearance, they embody just the features the young man wants. And don't forget that MERRIMACK $2.00 DERBIES are quality hats. They wear well and always look well; never get dingy or faded; never lose their shape and always fit perfectly.

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BOSTON DOCTOR TALKS

To Lowell People on the Great Tonic Theory

SICKNESS STOPPED AND DEATH AVERTED

Hear About It Today Yourself

Dr. O'Donnell, the Boston physician, says he is glad to meet the people of Lowell and tell them about the tonic theory that brings health, happiness and long life to all who will follow it out.

It is one of nature's wonderful secrets at last discovered and laid bare to the eyes of mankind.

The doctor has today brought cheer and comfort to many sick people who have called on him.

He wants every sick person in Lowell to see him while he is here.

Dr. O'Donnell can explain it all in a way you can understand. See him today. The most important thing in your life.

It is every married man's duty to take care of his health and keep himself strong and vigorous for only so can he be the best husband and father.

It is the wife's duty to save herself from sickness and weaknesses. Let her be healthy and she will continue to be beautiful and attractive.

We all owe it to ourselves to gain health and vitality and keep them.

This man, Dr. O'Donnell, will tell you how to overcome all your bodily ills. But you must present to him the coupon printed at the bottom of this article and he will then make no charge whatever for talking with you.

You will find Dr. O'Donnell at A. W. Dows' store, where he is making his headquarters while here in Lowell.

This is Dr. O'Donnell's first visit to Lowell. He is receiving words of praise and blessing from Lowell people who have seen him, and have learned from him the path to health, happiness and peace of mind.

No matter what your sickness is, see him today. He will show you how to save yourself.

CONSULTATION COUPON Present This to Dr. O'Donnell

Present this coupon to Dr. O'Donnell at A. W. Dows' drug store, cor. Central and Merrimack streets. Do it at once. Tell Dr. O'Donnell just how you feel and what you think your trouble is. He will show you the way to health through the tonic theory.

THE VESPER CLUB

Defeated Winchester Club at Golf

There was a two-ball foursome team match between Winchester and the Vesper Country club at the Country club golf links Saturday the local team winning. The score was as follows:

WINCHESTER C. C.

	Points
W. Bond and Dunbar	0
Capt. Brooks and Bouve	0
W. Kingsley and Dunbar	1
	1

VESPER C. C.

	Points
T. T. Clark and J. Thorpe	1
H. J. Corwin and F. Stuart	1
R. W. Gleason and W. G. Eaton	0
	2

A return match, singles, will be played at Winchester October 2.

Saturday's contest in the club series was a medal play handicap (select from two consecutive rounds the lowest score). This was won by R. W. Thompson with a net score of 37. The scores.

	Gross	Hdcp	Net
R. W. Thompson	44	7	37
A. D. Butterfield	43	5	38
A. H. Sweatt	44	6	38
F. G. Farquhar	45	7	38
P. M. Bramhall	45	7	38
L. C. Eaton	51	13	38
H. J. Corwin	42	3	39
Joseph Peabody	48	5	43
J. B. Hylan	No card		
T. Nesmith, jr.	No card		

In the championship consolation the following are drawn to play: A. K. Chadwick vs. J. K. Whittier; C. H. Dutton vs. D. D. Bartlett; A. H. Morton vs. Joseph Peabody; Frank Stuart vs. T. T. Clark.

The second round of championship play must be completed on or before Oct. 2. The matches are as follows: Gleason vs. Putnam; Corwin vs. Sherman; Eaton vs. Sweatt; Brown vs. Knapp.

Money deposited in the Lowell Five Cent Savings bank on or before Saturday, October 2, 1909, begins to draw interest from that date.

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AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.
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Harnesses of all descriptions, such as express, carryall, light farm and team single and double harnesses, extra collars, leather halters, tie ropes, etc. Also parts that are in process of making. All harnesses to be sold were made by the best workmen and will give the best satisfaction, as the reputation of this firm has been the best.

Street and stable blankets, fur and plush robes, all new stock this season.

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Saturday, Oct. 2, at 3 p. m.
AT 63 BARTLETT STREET A COTTAGE HOUSE, BARN AND CARRIAGE SHED AND ABOUT 3500 SQUARE FEET OF LAND.

We have instructed the auctioneer to sell on the premises regardless of any condition of the weather the above property. The house which consists of eight rooms, has five rooms on the first floor and three chambers on the next. It has been recently papered and painted and has slated roof. The barn has four stalls and two large carriage sheds. This would make a very nice home for someone who keeps a few horses as it is very centrally located. Now then if you want to locate in Belvidere this is your opportunity.

Terms—$200 to be paid to the auctioneer as soon as struck off.
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AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE ON THE PREMISES, NO. 2 DUDLEY COURT, COR. NEW FLETCHER STREET, SATURDAY, OCT. 2, AT 1.30 O'CLOCK P. M.

I will sell at public auction at the above address the contents of a six room house, consisting in part of beds, bedding, commodes, bureaus, carpets, pictures. Household sewing machine, Elmwood range, No. 8, in first class condition, two oil stoves, bed lounge, couch, and numerous other articles of which space can't allow. Terms: Cash. By order of NEIL KNUTSON.

C. H. HANSON & CO., Inc., Auctioneers

Tomorrow Afternoon at 3 O'Clock

We will sell the furnishings of the eight-room house, 183 Liberty street. Most of the property is as good as new, only been used one year.